

Belongs to
Gaston Christie
only

Good luck to a really
sweet guy

Big Carstens
Lots of luck
to a cute
little
1,941

My Stinson

72% of luck to
a sweet friend
Betty
Luck Always
Larry

Is a real character
whose really got
the personality
The Game
Michael

Lots of luck to a
fellow fisherman
(one of the best)
Stanley Smith

BEST OF LUCK
AND STUFF
JESSIE
Quiero, O

The best of
luck to a
really perfect
guy.

Have fun!!
Love
Pam

Gaston
I hope you
have a swell
summer.
Bob.

Best of luck
Don't forget
Bernard Brown

lots of luck
to a real joker
luck & stuff
Max

From Joan Bishop
To a swell guy.
Ha! Ha!

from Nancy Loret
with all
to you.

my love
I am signing
for the
book
Emerson

Best Wishes
from
Lusi
Opportunity

good luck
Bray Smith

Good luck
in your future
years of school
Bob Browning

Let's
have
fun!!

To a swell kid
Howard
Intermill

the TORCH
NINETEEN FORTY SEVEN

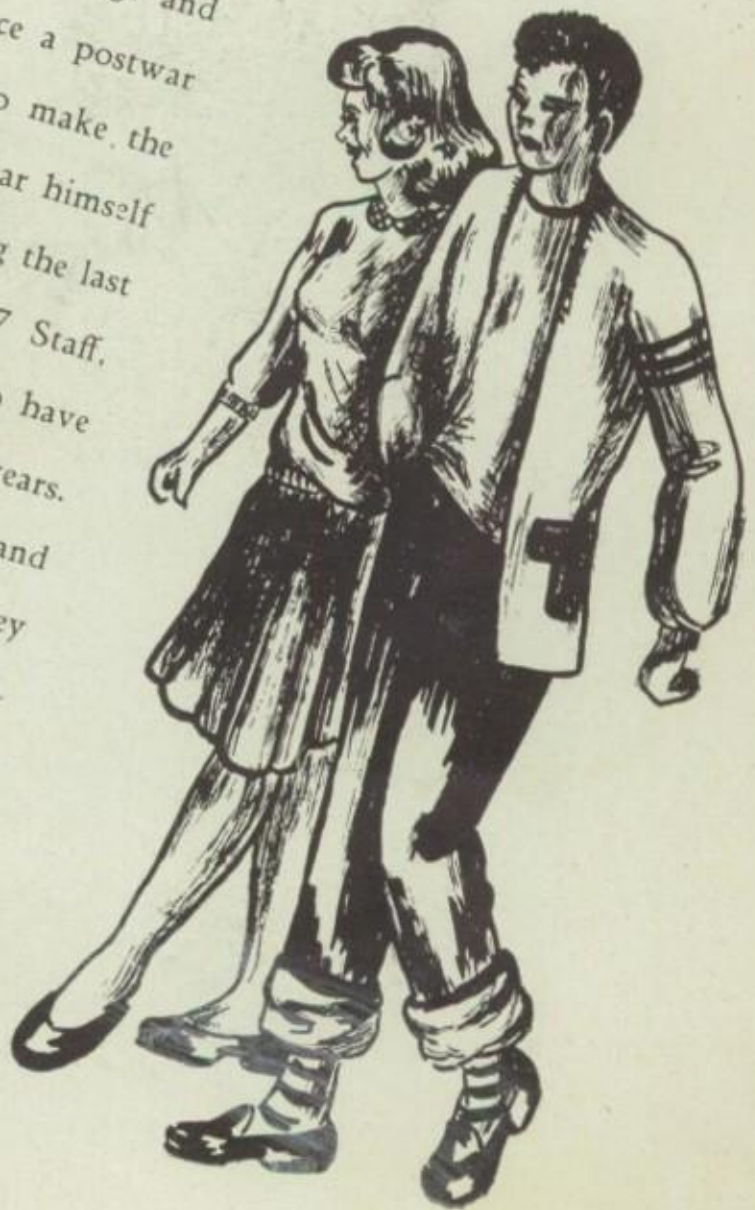
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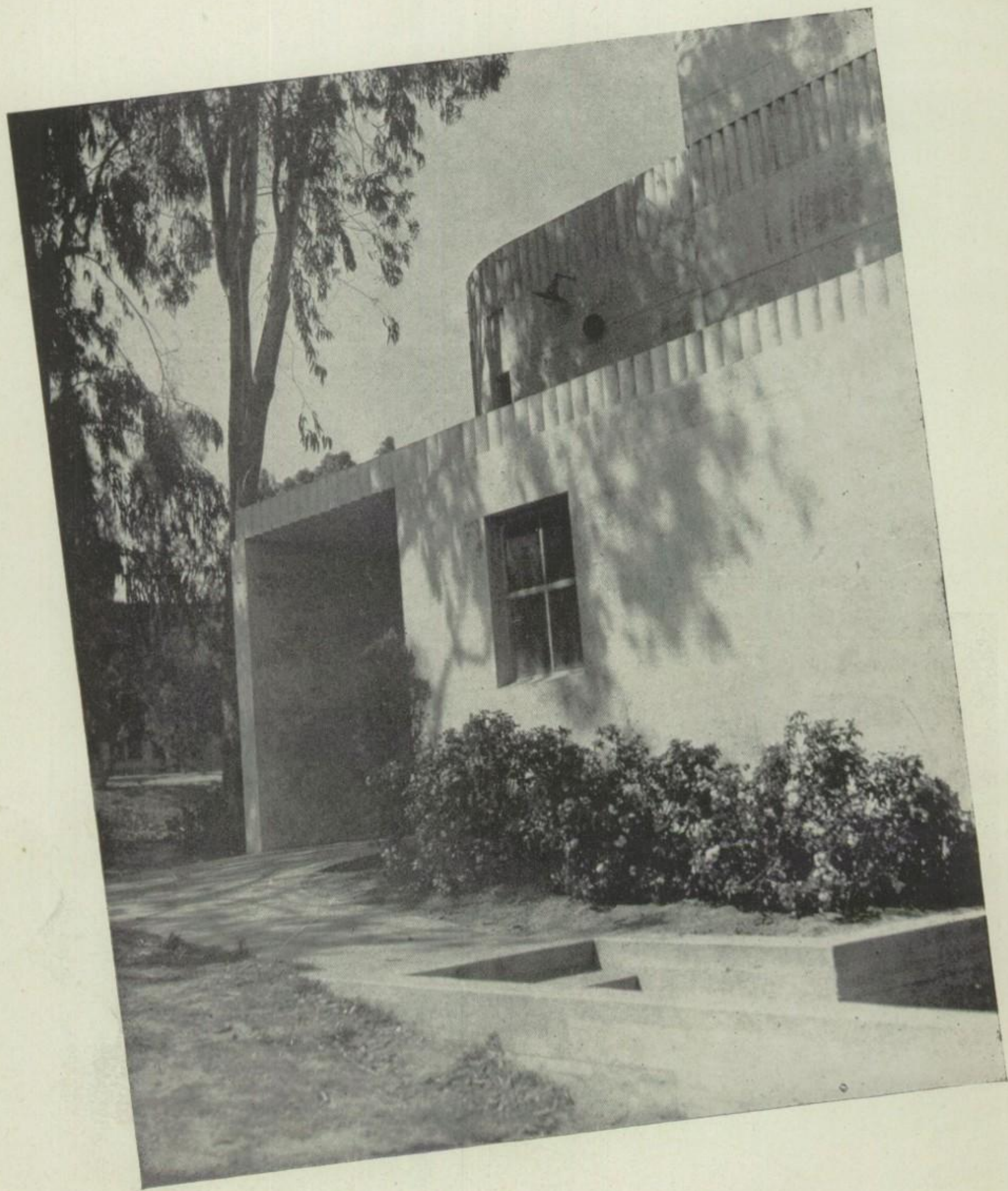


ONE OF OUR FINER TEACHERS who, for many years, has been a friend to students and faculty alike, inspires us with his loyalty and faith to the school. As printing teacher, he is kept busy publishing the school paper, but is always cooperative and available in undertaking additional work. . . . We, the Staff, gratefully dedicate the 1947 TORCH to MR. CHARLES HAMILTON.

tribute . . .

TODAY'S YOUTH, living in the atomic age, has a greater knowledge of the needs and problems of the world than did the teenagers of its parents' generation. . . . Thus it is that the modern Tartars have combined with the ancient Tartars' courage and loyalty a great realization of the problems that face a postwar world. The immediate necessity of great leaders to make the world secure at last leads us to have the modern Tartar himself as the theme for this 1947 TORCH. . . . This being the last annual under the present administration, we, the 1947 Staff, wish to thank the faculty and administrative officers who have given us a great deal of their time and energy for many years. We want them to know that we recognize their loyalty and deeply appreciate it. We wish them each success wherever they may go and hope they will carry with them many happy memories of Torrance High School.





..campus





faculty



heading our



RAYMOND J. CASEY

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Santa Barbara State College
University of Southern California
Principal, first semester

HELEN JEWETT ROGERS



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University of California, Berkeley
University of Southern California
Principal, second semester

faculty . . .

ELIZABETH F. PARKS



ELIZABETH F. PARKS
University of Southern California
Girls' Vice Principal

BERNARD J. DONAHUE
Loyola, U.S.C.
Boys' Vice Principal, first semester

DUNCAN POWERS
University of Southern California
Boys' Vice Principal, second semester

BERNARD J. DONAHUE



DUNCAN POWERS



MARGARET BYRKIT
University of Southern California
Science
Hobby, Photography



FRANK BARROW
Stanford, Univ. of Southern California
Social Studies and English
Hobby, Hall patrol



MARGUERITE JONES
University of Vermont
Commercial, Grade adviser, 1st sem.
Hobby, Gardening

FLORENCE BEHR
Smith College
Librarian
Hobby, Flowers and birds



JESSIE WEAVER
University of Southern California
Commercial
Hobby, Flowers



FLORENCE VANDERMAST
USC, Drake University
Clothing, Grade Adviser
Hobby, Raising flowers

PETE ZAMPERINI
University of Southern California
Track, Social Studies
Hobby, Athletics



KATHERINE MILLERD
Grinnell College
Mathematics, 1st semester
Hobby, Music



WINIFRED WATSON
University of Southern California
Social Studies and Home Ec., 1st sem
Hobby, PTA



SARA VAUBEL
University of Southern California
Social Studies, English
Hobby, Collection of records,
gardening



MADELINE URQUHART
North Dakota State, Columbia
Foods, Sponsor of Future Home-
makers of America
Hobby, Reading



MILTON KATZ
University of California, Los Angeles
Physical Education
Hobby, Golf



faculty friends

MARY PATRICIA ANDERSON
University of Los Angeles
Art and Art Craft
Hobby, Drawing and painting

LEONARD GREEN
University of California
Social Studies, Boys' Coord 1st sem
Hobby, Music

RODNA WISHAM
University of California, Los Angeles
Dramatics and Public Speaking
Hobby, Camping and sports

ARMINE JANEVES
University of California, Los Angeles
University of Southern California
Commercial, Senior Prob., 1st sem
Hobby, Flower arrangement

CATHERINE JENNINGS
University of California
Physical Education
Hobby, Gardening, wood working

MARY LOU STAL
University of Southern California
English, Social Studies
Hobby, Music, children, cooking

RUTH LOCKE
University of Southern California
Mathematics
Hobby, Traveling, taking movies

CHARLES HAMILTON
University of California, Los Angeles
Print Shop
Hobby, Boating



CLARA L. SHEARER
University of Southern California
University of Utah
Mathematics, 1st semester
Hobby, Bridge

MABLE BOYNTON
University of California, Berkeley
Coordinator, Spanish
Hobby, Bowling

EDITH KELLY
Stanford
Social Studies and English
Hobby, Club meetings

JOHN WINFIELD
University of Southern California
Physical Education, Social Studies
Hobby, Redheads



ALBERTINE TANNER
University of Southern California
Mathematics, Science
Hobby, Flying

MAX FELDBAUM
Continuation
Cornell University
Hobby, Fishing, gardening

LUCILLE FULKERSON
Missouri State Teachers' College,
Colorado State Teachers' College
Hobby, Going places

IRENE MILLS
University of Southern California
English and Journalism
Hobby, Letter writing

HERBERT LERNER
University of Pennsylvania
Physics, Chem., Life Sc. 2nd sem
Hobby, Golf

JANICE MILLER
Carnegie Institute of Technology
Foods and Clothing, 2nd semester
Hobby, Hand analysis

BESS OLNEY
Denson University
Mathematics, 2nd semester
Hobby, Dogs, flowers

RONI LEITNER
University of California, Los Angeles
University of Southern California
Physical Education, 1st semester
Hobby, Horseback riding

EARDLEY MADSEN
University of Utah
Science, 1st semester
Hobby, Photography

CHARLES BLOCH
University of California at Santa
Barbara
Wood Shop, Metal Shop, Drafting,
2nd semester
Hobby, Building things

LOUIS MONFERINO, JR.
Stanford University
Senior Problems, American History,
1st semester
Hobby, Gardening

RAYMOND MULVANE
Stanford, USC.
History, English, Mathematics, 2nd
semester
Hobby, Photography, Boxing.

ETTA LAMPEL
Cedar Crest College
Shorthand, English, Salesmanship,
2nd semester
Hobby, Concentration on a naughty
two year old



HARRY STONE
University of California at Berkeley
Agriculture
Hobby, Collecting wild flowers,
naming birds

ETHEL BURNHAM
University of Wisconsin
English, Annual
Hobby, Collecting books, flowers

JANE FOHL
Arizona State Teachers' College
University of California, Los Angeles
Physical Education, 1st semester
Hobby, Flying

GRACE MORSE
University of California, Berkeley
Latin and English
Hobby, Reading

JAMES H. BURCHETT
Santa Barbara State College
Mechanical Drafting
Hobby, Home recordings

LORRAINE GOODWIN
Counselor
University of California, Los Angeles
Hobby, photography

CLARA STORRS
Oberlin College, and
University of California, Los Angeles
Music Appreciation, General Music
Hobby, Tennis

CORA MABEE
University of Southern California
Social Studies
Hobby, Gardening, mountain trips

. guiding forces

WILLIA INGRAM
Ouachita College, Oklahoma College
English, Social Studies
Hobby, Reading

DONNA REED FOSTER
University of California, Los Angeles
Art Craft, 1st semester
Hobby, Gardening

JANICE BOLITHO
University of California, Berkeley
Mathematics, 2nd semester
Hobby, Horseback riding

VIRGINIA VAN KIRK
State Teachers' College, Trenton, NJ
Commercial, 2nd semester
Hobby, Her family

THELMA WARD
University of California, Berkeley
Physical Education, 2nd semester
Hobby, Photography

WINONA KONGS
University of Texas
Social Studies, English, 2nd semester
Hobby, Sports

NORMA STEEB
University of California, Los Angeles
Art, Art Craft, 2nd semester
Hobby, Gardening

LAURA MOE
North Dakota State
English, Social Studies, 2nd semester
Hobby, Sports

HILDA ALLEN
Whittier College (foreign countries)
Spanish
Hobby, Learning foreign customs

IVOL BLAYLOCK
University of California, Los Angeles
Stage Craft and Cabinet Making
Hobby, Wood working

BARBARA BERTON
Stanford University
History
Hobby, Gardening, swimming

off guard...



Row 1: Mrs. Kongs, Miss Parks, Mr. Donahue, Miss Rogers, Miss Markham, Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. Blecker, Row 2: Mrs. VanKirk, Mrs. Goodwin, Mr. Stone, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Kelly, Row 3: Mrs. Richhart, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, School Garden, Mrs. Boynton, Row 4: Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. Kapple, Mrs. Blecker, Miss Byrkit, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Wisham, Miss Fulkerson, Miss Behr, Row 5: Mr. Block, Mr. Lerner, Row 6: Miss Burnham, Mrs. Wisham, Mr. Donahue, Miss Parks, Mrs. Lampel, Mr. Powell.



HELEN KAPPLE
Secretary



JOHNNIE HINTON
Junior Clerk



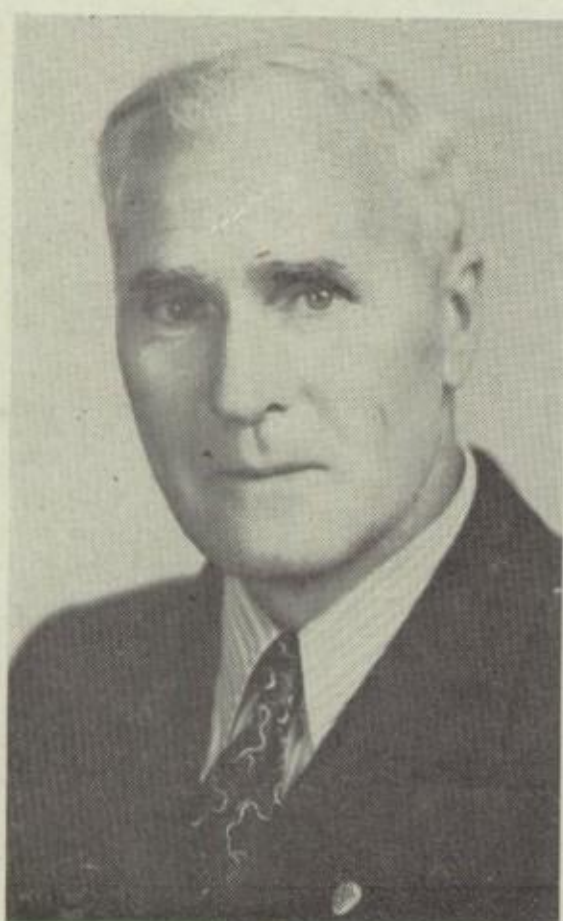
BEVERLY DARLING
Junior Clerk, 1st Semester

ROSE MARY BLECKER
Junior Clerk

GERALDINE RICHART
Financial Manager

CC HARESTAD
Junior Clerk

facts and figures



*For a small town
an outstanding
personality
Thank you
Mr. Powell*

MR. POWELL

FOR APPROXIMATELY TEN YEARS, Mr. Powell was head custodian at Torrance High School. More than that, he was a friend and able guide to many students. To the teachers, he was always dependable and eager to aid. Even when a Torrance councilman, he found time to help the Torrance High School students with their problems. His sense of humor was keen. It is with deep regret that we say good-bye to Mr. Powell as he goes to a new position in Dana Junior High School.



classes



graduates

PHYLLIS ANDERSON
"True love never runs
smooth"
Tartar Ladies, Girls' Self-
Government President

ARLINE FAY ATWOOD
"She bakes a fine cake and
sews a straight seam, but her
man is no more than a dream"
Tartar Ladies' Reporter-His-
torian, Scholarship Society

JOSEPH JOHN BAN
"Joe"
"A man who relishes a good
joke"
Vice-President of Boys'
League, Baseball, Basketball

THOMAS JOSEPH BARON
"Jesse"
"None but himself can be his
parallel!"
Basketball, Boys' League
Representative

HARRIET GLADYS BENDER
"Termite"
"A musician she aspires to
be"
Vice-President Girls' Glee

JOHN R. BLACKMON
"Jack"
"Warbling through school is
his sideline"
Operetta Senior Play

BETTY RUTH BOSWELL
"Married and enjoying it."
Girls' League
Senior Play

ZELDA YVONNE BOURNE
"Zellee"
"Short but sweet"
Finance Committee, GAA,
Usher

PATRICIA ANN CAMERON
"Pat"
"There's no hurry in her
mind, no hurry in her feet"
Girls' League

WANDA ROSEMARY CLINE
"Half-Pint"
"She is not the meek and
mild lass she appears to be"
Girls' League

DARRELL COMSTOCK
"Donny" "Stock"
"Egad! Romeo lives again"
Tartar Knight Captain, Foot-
ball, Track

STEWART STEVENSON COOKE
"Cookie"
"He looks down on the rest
of us"
Track, Cross Country, Bas-
ketball

SHIRLEY ANN COX
"Smoky"
"When joy and duty clash,
let duty go to smash"
Finance Committee, GAA,
Hall Patrol

HERBERT EDWIN CURLEY
"Herby"
"The best informed Senior—
on Major League baseball"
Varsity Club, Baseball

ROSALYN DAVIE
"Rosie"
"She's full of the dickens"
GAA, Finance Committee





LELAND WILSON DEAN

"Lee"
*"Go Fly a kite, (airplane
 that is!*
 Track, Boys' League

MARJORIE FERN DOMINGUEZ

"Margie"
"Cute as can be"
 GAA Historian, Finance
 Committee

MARY LOU DUNCAN

"Shortie"
*"She has a pleasant smile, a
 gentle way"*
 Girls' League



MARJORIE DUNHAM

"Marge"
*"She can ride—in a car or
 on a horse"*
 Girls' League

GEORGE ESCOBAR

"Quiet, but very industrious"
 Boys' League

OSCAR MANUEL ESCOBEDO

"Escar"
*"Fleet of foot and fleet of
 mind"*
 Cross Country Captain,
 Varsity Club



PAUL EDWIN FINDLEY

"Eddie"
*"He doesn't make much noise,
 but he's on the job"*
 Tartar Knight, Senior Class
 President

BOBBIE JEAN FITZGIBBON

*"A day in April never came
 so sweet"*
 Tartar Ladies, Girls' League
 President

GLORIA FLORES

"Wini"
*"A friend both loyal and true
 to all"*
 Tartar Ladies, GAA



THELMA FOSTER

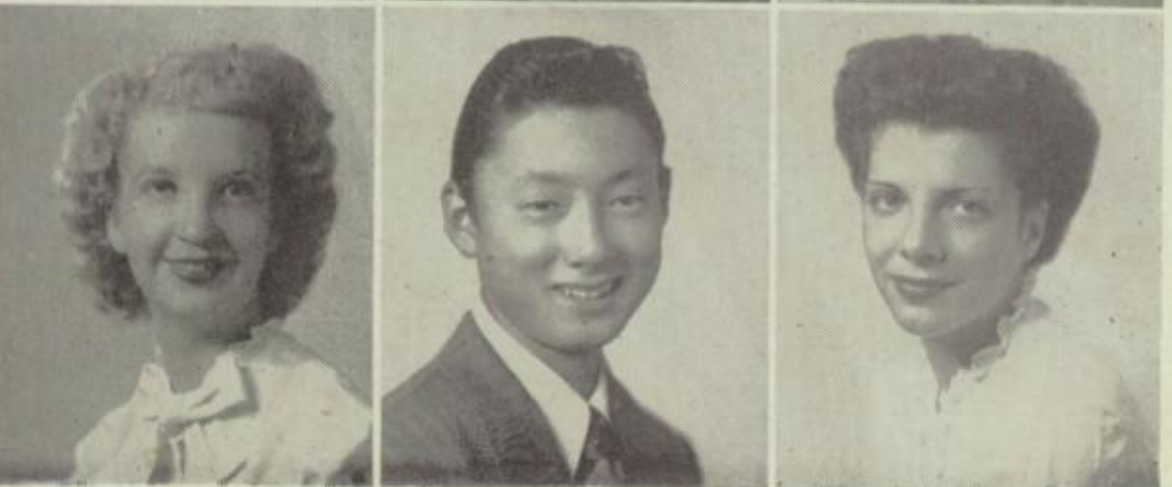
"Timmie"
"She's got a snappy comeback"
 Girls' League

DON MERRITT HARTEL

"Pete"
*"He isn't from Missouri, but
 he wants to know!"*
 Football, Track

BEVERLY JEANNE HIATT

"Punk"
"Nimble with a needle"
 Girls' League



NELLE IRENE HOCOTT

"Nellie"
*"She has an oar in every man's
 boat, and a finger in every
 man's pie"*
 Tartar Ladies, Vice-President
 GAA

KISHITO IKEZOE

"Quiet worker"
 Boys' League

CHRISTINE IORIO

"Chris"
*"Always cheerful and bright,
 she makes the dark day light"*
 Girls' League



FRANK MERWIN JARRATT
"Moe"
*"Fine people like fine deeds
need no trumpets"*
Tartar Knight 1st Lieutenant
Student Body President

DOROTHY ELINOR JOHNSON
"Dottie"
*"Wants to get married—
—who doesn't!"*
Girls' League

PATSY RUTH JOHNSON
"Pat"
*"Your hearts desire be with
you!"*
Girls' League



JAROLD JOHNSTON
*"Just another one of our
quieter boys"*
Boys' League

HARRY MILTON JONES
"Milt"
*"A steady worker—a quiet
one"*
Boys' League Representative

PATRICIA ANN
REBECCA KAPSCH
"Mickey"
*"She's cute, peppy and she
has a husband"*
Tartar Ladies, GAA



EDWIN JAMES KING, JR.
"Ed"
*"He wants to be married;
that's all!"*
Tartar Knights, Varsity
Yell Leader

ELSIE MAE LACY
*"For if she will, she will,
you may depend on it"
And if she won't, she won't,
so here's an end on it"*
Annual Staff, Modern Liter-
ature Club

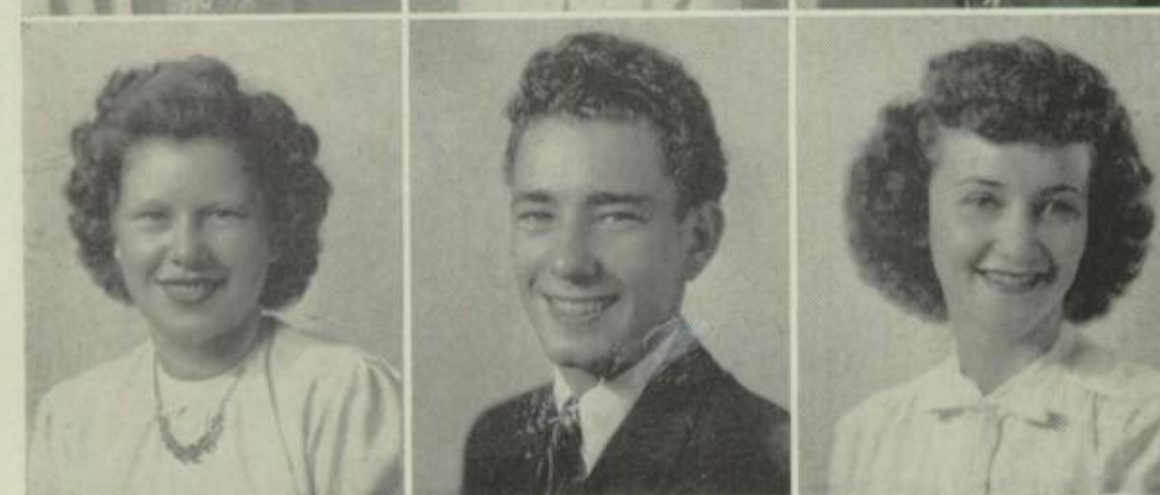
DIANE ELLENE LIGHT
"Di-Di"
"Modesty sets off her wit."
Tartar Ladies, Home Room
Secretary



ROSALIE DIANE LISONI
"Rosie"
*"To be merry best becomes
you."*
Tartar Ladies, Class Treas-
urer

WILMA JEAN MCBRIDE
"Mac"
*"Seems to like red-headed
Marines and South Amer.ca
—quite a combination!"*
Tartar Ladies First Lady,
GAA

JAMES PATRICK MCGARRY
"Isaac"
"He wants to sprout wings!"
Football, Varsity Club



JOSEPHINE MARLYS MOELLER
"Jo"
*"Jo is another girl with red
hair"*
Scholarship Society Secretary,
Home Room Secretary

LEOTHA GORDON MOODY
"Mood"
*"Who said anything about a
hot-rod?"*
Boys' League

DOROTHY JEANNE MORRIS
"Dotty"
*"Eager, chatty, and jolly good
company"*
Hall Patrol, Usher

graduates

LENORE ELLEN MURPHY
"Nonie" "Norie"
"A maiden never bold"
Scholarship Society, GAA

PATRICIA MAE NEWLAND
"Patti"
"A steady, quiet worker"
Usher, Girls' League

BETTY JANE NIELSEN
"One of our happily married girls"
Scholarship Society

EUGENE HAROLD NORTHWAY
"Corky"
"He has a head to contrive, a tongue to persuade, and a hand to execute any mischief"
Tartar Knights, Vice-President, Student Body

HELEN O'SHEA
"Likes music very much"
Girls' League

WILMA PENNER
"My goodness, but we sure do have a lot of people raound here who like music!"
Girls' League

ALICE LOUISE PETERSON
"Babe"
"Blowing her nose must be a joy with all those handkerchiefs"
GAA, Usher

IMA LOUISE PETTY
"Pet"
"She dwells in the realms of silence"
Girls' League

JOYCE A. RATHBUN
"Pinkie"
"Another married woman; gosh! aren't they lucky?"
Scholarship Society

GAYLE RAYMOND
"Gay"
"Pretty to walk with, witty to talk with, and pleasant, too, to think on"
Secretary, Tartar Ladies, GAA

GLENNA GAY REID
"Glenn"
"Clever at drawing, witty at heart; in this year's annual she played a big part"
Scholarship, Annual Staff

JOHNEVA REIMER
"Johnny"
"More fun than a barrel of monkeys!"
Hall Patrol

PAULINE JANE ROBINSON
"Polly"
"She taketh all learning for her province"
Tartar Ladies, Scholarship Society, GAA

MARLOU ROSE
"She carries the torch—two or three of them"
Queen of Tartar Ladies, Editor of Annual, Council

WILMA ALLINE RYCE
"Dude"
"Always quiet, but friendly"
Girls' League



graduates

LUCILLE SABOSKY
"Locy"
"Seems to like Knob Hill"
GAA, Hall Patrol

LEONA MAY STASSIN
"Onnie"
"California, she's here to stay"
Hall Patrol, Girls' League
song leader

JANE EDYTHE SCOTTON
"Janie"
"When there's something to manage, she'll manage it"
Hall Patrol, Usber, Annual Staff

DONN RAY STATER
"Slim"
"Though meek and mild, he has a sense of humor"
Baseball, Basketball

WENDELIN ALOIS SEIBERLICH, JR.
"Spider" "Seeb"
"Spider and the Empire State Building—two tall ones!"
Boys' League

LILLIAN DOROTHY STRILKA
"Tis nice to be natural, if you're naturally nice"
Scholarship Society, GAA

SHIRLEY ANN SEVERIN
"Lee"
"A student par excellence is this maiden"
Tartar Ladies, Scholarship Society

JAY R. STROH
"Jakie"
"The FBI in peace and war"
President Scholarship Society; Football

WILLIAM RICHARD SPANGLER
"Bill"
"A lion among the ladies is a dreadful thing!"
Tartar Knights, Track

PEGGY JOSEPHINE STUCKE
"Bowlegs"
"Her fund of good humor is never exhausted"
Tartar Ladies, Commissioner of Finance



ANNA MARIE SVENSK
"Banana"
"One who is equal to the occasion"
Tartar Ladies, Secretary
GAA

COLLEEN THOMAS
"Chloe"
"A girl of spirit and ability"
Scholarship Society, Hall Patrol

MARY TIBBITTS
"She doesn't want much, just money and men; that's all"
President GAA, Tartar Ladies

WILLIAM H. TOLSON, JR.
"Willie"
"Wants to talk about sports"
First Lieutenant Tartar Knights; Varsity Club President

ANTHONY HARRY VAN KRALINGEN, JR.
"Bugs"
"The muscle man of the Summer Class of '47"
Gymnastics, Cross Country



MARGIE ANNELL WALKER
 "Nellie"
"Very nice and fun to be with"
 Girls' League, Usher

MARJORIE FAYE WALLEN
 "Wallie"
"Watch the birdie"
 Senior Play
 Girls' League

BETTY JANE WEAVER
 "Shorty"
"A quiet girl but full of fun"
 Girls' League

CARL EUGENE WILLIAMS
 "Gene"
"Wants to get married and have 13 red-haired kids—quite an ambition"
 Tartar Knights, Senior-A
 Vice-President

WILLIAM WOOD
 "Horse"
"One of those strong, silent men"
 Football, Gymnastics

NO PICTURES

MARY ANNE ROUSSEVE
 "Candy"
"Noted for her hair-do's"
 Girls' League

MARLENE LEGGATE
"There's a merry twinkle in her eye"
 Girls' League

DOROTHY LEE STUMPH
 "Dottie"
"Where there's a will, there's a way"

CHARLES RAY ENGLAND
 "Joe"
"Variety is the spice of life—here is another variety"

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HARRIET GRAVES
 Annual Staff

BARBARA NIEVES
 Girls' League



1 Wendelin; 2 Wilma Mc.; 3 Merwin; 4 Dorothy J.; 5 Darrell; 6 Rosalie; 7 Johnna; 8 Nelle; 9 Corky;
10 Stewart; 11 Shirley C.; 12 Elsie; 13 Eddie; 14 Annell; 15 Lucile; 16 Shirley S.; 17 Diane; 18 Mary;
19 Patricia; 20 Polly; 21 Colleen.

younger days . . .

*Lots of Love
to a really sweet
guy. Have fun this
summer love,
Jo Ann*

22 Arlene; 23 Rosalyn; 24 Pat; 25 Gene; 26 Peggy; 27 Wilma P.; 28 Ed; 29 Jane; 30 Jay; 31 Arthur and Anna;
32 Margie; 33 Josephine; 34 Patty; 35 Zelda; 36 Gayle; 37 Bill T.



BARBARA BARTHOLOW
 "Roxie"
 "I live today as well's I may
 regardless of tomorrow"
 Girls' League

BEVERLEY JEAN CROOK
 "Bev"
 "Full of unconquerable ener-
 gies"
 Tartar Ladies, GAA, May
 Queen

RICHARD FOSTER

JEAN BORDER
 "Proxy"
 "She loves to daub in painty
 smocks"
 Girls' League

HAZEL MARIE DAVIS
 "Dimples"
 "As merry as the day is long"
 Tartar Ladies, Home Room
 Secretary

TED JACOBS

BEVERLY JEANNE BROWNING
 "Bev"
 "A quiet girl but full of fun"
 Class Reporter, Modern
 Literature Club

WILLIAM SMITH FLOYD
 "Bill"
 "Variety is the spice of life—
 here's another variety"

IDELLA KERNS
 "Babe"
 "Smiles to all she extends"
 Girls' Glee President

LOLA COBB
 "Life's a pudding full of
 plums, she wants to bake the
 pudding"
 Senior Glee Club Secretary

EDDIE FORTIN
 "Quiet, but has a wonderful
 sense of humor"
 Tartar Knights, Football

JOHN GAYLORD KOSHAK
 "Jack"
 "Oh! that red hair!"
 Football, Tennis, Track,
 Varsity Club



*Best of luck
 to a swell guy.
 Eddie*

TED MCWAID

"So quiet you never hear him"
Basketball

WILLIAM BYRON MORGAN

"Bill" "The Beard"
"He has music in his finger-
tips"
Tartar Knights, Second
Lieutenant; Football

LYLE CLAIR NELSON

"Red"
"Three things do shine: the
sun, the moon, and Red's
hair"
Varsity Club, Hall Patrol

WILSON BONNER PAXTON

"Packy"
"So bright his father calls him
'Sun!'"
Hall Patrol
Senior Play

DOROTHY LEONE SMITH

"Dot"
"She has the truest, kindest
heart"
Hall Patrol, GAA Historian



OLIVER JAMES STEPP

"By his solemn countenance
he does deceive the world"
Tartar Knights, Second Lieu-
tenant; Track Team

EUGENE WILLIAM STIRLING

"Gene"
"A tower of strength to the
Terrance teams"
Football, Varsity Club

ESSEA JOANN SUITER

"Jo"
"Wants to type 100 words
without making 99 errors"
Senior Girls' Glee

JACK TURNER

"Very nice, but full of fun"
Tartar Knights, First Lieu-
tenant; Basketball,
Easeball

FRANCIS VAN METER

"Frankie"
"Wants to go to college—if
she gets out of high school"
Girls' League

IN MEMORIAM: ROY MORGAN, U.S.N., 'W47, died December 26, 1946

Senior bees...

upper bracke



First row: Fagan, Bingham, Navarro, Hopkins, Coles, Lockhart, Knappenberger, Acord, Reid, Cecil. Second row: Franzen, Daniel, Kelton, Cline, Read, Pickett, Dunlop, McKee, Dorris, Olloque. Third: Eynon, Brimer, DeWitt, Warning, Andrews, Stevens, Byllesby, Morgan, Van Meter, Moore, Fuller, Knight, Hedgecock. Fourth: Peterson, Eredia, Enis, Anast, Avalos, Branum, McIlvaine, Watters, Suttle, Burchett. Fifth: Daniel, Norris, Babcock, B. Jones, A. Stevenson, Bacon, Ordaz, Carlton, Klempner, Johnston.

A-11 SECTION 1

President: Marie Kelton
Vice-President: John Branum
Secretary-Treasurer: Marilyn Byllesby

A-11 SECTION 2

President: Alfonso Ordaz
Vice-President: Patricia Cecil
Secretary-Treasurer: Juanita Andrews

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LOTS OF
LOOK TO A
SOMEONE
CORP. WATSON



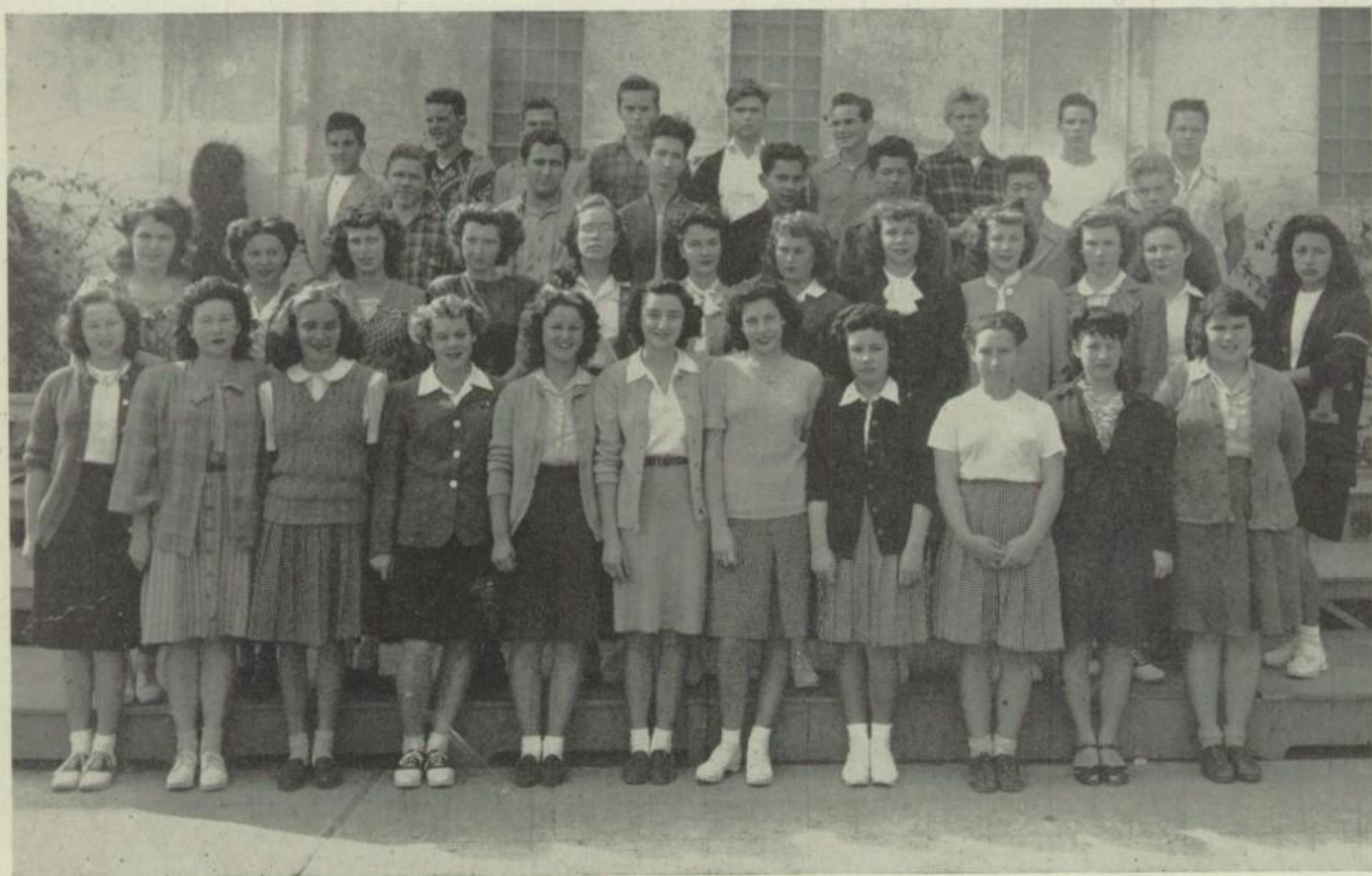
A-11 SECTION 4

President: Wilbur Sanderson

First row: Schimmick, Nelson, McCluer, Mullin, Menni, Mumford, Locke, Larson, Smythe, Ross, Border, B. Schmidt. Second: Rossi, Bray, Wakefield, Larisey, Whyte, J. Schmidt, J. Stevenson, Crane, Malin, Stokoe, Barthalow, Seaborn, Merlin, Wold, Salm. Third: Chambers, Hood, Paxton, Maloy, W. Stevens, G. Jones, St. Dennis, Steel, Hayashibara, Voien, May, Snuffer, Garrison. Fourth: Woolever, Ainsworth, Turner, Sanderson, Watson, Pearson, Mephram, Jacobs, Mayfield, Hanni, Wetzel, Carstens.



First row: Cottrell, Parry, E. Clark, Keller, Correia, R. Morey, Sales, Valencia, Theodosius, Howard, P. Morey. Second: Kapsh, Farner, Vandeventer, C. Clark, Jolley, Galloway, Busick, Bidwell, Sutton, Sandstrom, Upchurch, Ordaz. Third: Garner, Devor, Anderson, Barrera, Estolano, Ikezoe, Graves. Last: Popovich, Taylor, Preston, Schlerf, Van Dyck, Hazelwood, Goettsch, Dean, Cloward.



*Center
Group*

B-11 SECTION 1

*President: Yovan Popovich
Vice-President: Vincent Reichman
Secretary-Treasurer: Richard Van Dyke
Sergeants-at-Arms: Tom Faren, Jack Dean*

B-11 SECTION 2

President: Jean Cottrell

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A-10 GIRLS—First row: McCoy, B. Mitchell, Forth, Ream, Nagy, Mata, Dickson, Busse, C. Carter. Second: Blackmon, Chapman, J. Mitchell, Findley, Miller, Anderson, C. Trotter, Dorris, Doherty, Lewellen. Third: Baer, Davis, Atkins, Kelly, Ramey, Poh, Moeller, Jessome, Bender, Moore, Simonson, Wernett, D. Carter, Prentvast. Fourth: Clere, Cloward, Northway, Dunn, Correia, Suran, Welch, D. Trotter, Brown, Biggs, Seward, Sommers, Fuller, Shaver, Lisoni. Bottom: Looc, Braswell, Jones, Riggio, Rosenberg, Pizer, Shew, Quaggin, Thomas, Hayden, Terry.

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<i>Best of Luck to a real sweetie into his love affair</i>	<i>loads of really love to a perfect girl. As ever, Annmar</i>	
<i>So a darling who has a sweet friend to me love to me</i>	<i>Best of Luck in the coming years normal Busse</i>	
<i>lots of luck to a darling boy. Mariani Jones</i>		
Fall Semester	A-10 SECTION 1	Spring Semester
Wade Fisk . . .	President . . .	Wade Fisk
Joy Oursler . . .	Vice-President . . .	Kenneth Mosher
	Sec'y-Treas. . .	Marion Jones
Fall Semester	A-10 SECTION 2	Spring Semester
Max Robinson . . .	President . . .	Marlene Quaggin
Loreen Smith . . .	Vice-President . . .	Jack Goddard
Anna Jane Kelly . . .	Secretary . . .	Beverly Moore
	Treasurer . . .	Pat Northway
Fall Semester	A-10 SECTION 3	Spring Semester
Pat Ream . . .	President . . .	Frank Faren
Betty Pizer . . .	Vice-President . . .	Bill Dominguez
Rose Rosenberg . . .	Sec'y-Treas. . .	Joanne Sommers
Onita Seward . . .		
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Pat Ream . . .	President . . .	Joan Forth
Betty Pizer . . .	Vice-President . . .	Alice Dickson
Rose Rosenberg . . .	Secretary . . .	Norma Busse
Onita Seward . . .	Treasurer . . .	
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Corky Donnel . . .	President . . .	Joan Forth
Norma Biggs . . .	Vice-President . . .	Alice Dickson
	Sec'y-Treas. . .	Norma Busse

Jim Luter

Bob
Paul Comon



Stamps

A-10 BOYS—Top row: Coleman, Denty, Schultz, Schaftner, Chambers, Watson, Long, Ream, Henry, Comon, Castillo. Second: Cordes, Stamps, Luter, Moburg, Hadden, Cooper, Wood, Smith, Bowers, McQuillen, Eynon, Calder. Third: Pizer, Hillier, Wallis, Hatfield, Ritchie, Harris, Robinson, Dominguez, Hoffman, LeBlanc, Turner, Pascoe, Stanley. Fourth: Light, Godard, Paour, Oefinger, Whiting, Bingham, Wathen, Browning, Fischer, Doherty, Faren, Garrison, Smith, Young. Fifth: Alcalá, Cristea, Percy, Thompson, Donnel, Stevens, Emerson, Mosher, Wright, Swigart, Mitchell, Richhart, McKinney, Aguilar.

*Best of wishes
to a great basketball
player on the "D" team
of 1946-47*

*Jimmy
Stanley*

*Lots of
Love to
Paul
Joe LeRoy*

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sophs...

B-10 SECTION 1

President: Robert Foster
Vice-President: Norman Downing
Secretary-Treasurer: Lorraine Foley

B-10 SECTION 2

President: Harry Theodosis
Vice-President: Joanne Hood
Secretary-Treasurer: Jimmy Webb



*Best of luck
 Peggy*

B-10 CLASS BOYS AND GIRLS

First row: Quigley, Arcq, Winkler, Honda, Fritz, Murphy, Hovlid, Isen, Kelly, Sewall, Rugg, Hood, Foley, Mauk, Cline, Putnam. Second: Peterson, Ban, Crook, Hollomon, Luster, Rohring, Hanni, Schaffer, Busse, West, Wright, C. Smith, Cucci, Terry, Kendrick, Burns. Third: Kosmo, Madrid, Whistler, Bound, LaFountain, May, Deeter, Webb, Standridge, Roberts, Owens, Pederson, Maddock, Begue, Crawford, Scholl, Foster.





Row 1: Bottin, Fortin, Morris, Johnson, Griffin, Brown, Coles, Busick, King, Hansen, Kaltwasser, Herrera, T. Duncan, Wetzel. Row 2: Dorn, Coon, Floyd, McWaid, Hartley, Greenan, Buchanan, Menni, Foreman, Milam, Martinez, Bradshaw, Davis, Skaggs, Henry, Booth. Row 3: Hapsh, Douroux, Baker, Gitatras, Chambers, Sacks, Wrightmire, Northcutt, Jenson, Fetheroff, Cloward, Kennedy, Whittingtos. Row 4: Bruhanski, Lovell, Henderson, Tougee, Vorhis, H. Duncan, Blackburn, Flores.



seeking knowledge



1st row: Braton, Whitman, Sumner, Valencia, Jenkins, J. Tatlow, Moad, Worland, Garland, Watson, Stitzel, Bullard, Cooper, Vernon, Powell, Stitt, Cecil, Alvarez, Karganilla. 2nd row: Mondor, King, Elliot, Tillotson, Camon, Kern, Hazzard, Fees, Phillips, Delsing, Lariscy, Branum, McFarland, Ulbright, Basnum, Burns, Franzen. 3rd row: Manew, Mackey, Wernett, Mitchell, Breen, Mattern, Schmidt, Hoggins, Smith, Stevenson, Tarket, McKown, Penner, Woolever, McNeely, Hopkins. 4th row: Lee, Omatsu, Palmer, Packard, Rambo, Chapman, Mumford, Thorington, Whistler, Wright, Turner, Karr, F.

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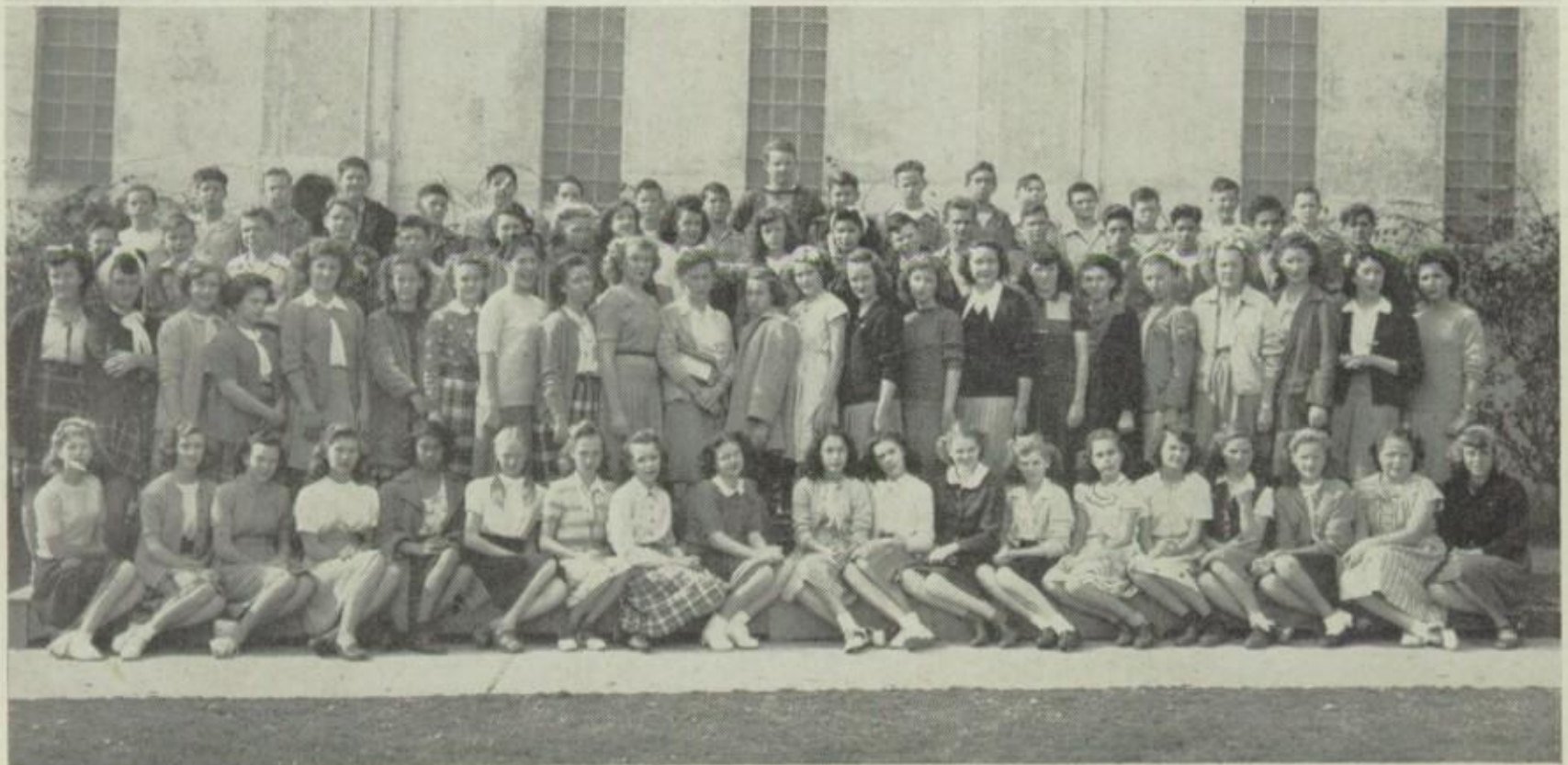


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**B-9
CLASS**

A8 CLASS

First row: Ikezoe, Looc, Duncan, Bowen, Fowler, Tappin, Barnard, Stitzel, Curtis, Hararia, Escobedo, Forth, Wilson. Second: Moody, Schumert, Madrid, Atkins, Duran, Skivinski, Fulmer, Hostetler, Dorris, Wright, Wallace, Hatfield, Wood, Booth, Bigler, Read, Navarro, Cline, Thompson, Mine, Steele. Third: Hopkins, Beaver, Grubb, Bray, Colston, Deaton, Russell, Smith, Rico, Wakefield, Phillips, Schmidt, Mittan, Dawson, Lopez, Cox, Pickett. Fourth: Garland, Klondze, Connor, D. Watson, ~~Bounders~~, Fielders, Gonzales, Bourne, Zamora, Mitchell, Droke, Baron, Babbitt, McIntosh, Pryor, Boal.



First row: Quick, Beray, Munger, Morris, Icamen, Smock, Riechman, Gish, Murphy, Beesboch, Williamson, Sharple, Mitchell, Murdock, Lisoni, Fenton, Maddock, Carstens, Hansen. Second: J. Lilley, J. Lilley, Perkins, Iorio, Nincevic, Curley, Woodward, Jackson, Lindenberg, Black, M. Licht, Zachary, L. Johnson, McBride, McClure, Zimkie, Nabots, Wagner, Dunn, Lovelady, Jones, Weber, McVicar. Third: Hall, Rigg, Katzen, Laudeman, D. Johnson, Gibson, Martin, Reid, Sanderson, Knap, Alvarez, C. Taylor, Moory, Burris, Ordaz, Valdaz, Aquilar, Marsh. Fourth: Carter, Richard, McQuoitor, Hickman, Dunmeyer, L. Licht, Myers, Maggart, Wendell, J. Taylor, Pickett, Knappenburger, Egbord, Britton, Moore, Smith, Wallace.

junior personalities

*Best wishes Tony
from Wallace Hudson*



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B-8 CLASS

First row: Cooper, Thornton, Payne, Roth, Moore, Coleman, Ryan, Fritz, Guardiana, Karr. Second: L. Stiles, Gargalis, Allen, Alexander, Ingram, Emery, Holloman, Skaggs, Wallis, Burchfield, McBride, Tutor. Third: Thompson, Acosta, Curtis, O'Cain, Faren, Larson, Comstock, Jones. Fourth: Arehano, Evans, Abramson, Hudson, Leech, Intermill, King, Colville, Navarro.



Paul Rios

A7 CLASS



Top row: Grajeda, Enkeboll, Ulm, Frownfetter, Gilbert, Russell, Suiter, Shirley, McKee, Van Dyke, Baird, Karr, Dorn. 2nd row: Mata, Acosta, Nielson, Disario, Leetz, Ebersole, Rathburn, Peterson, Volz. 3rd row: Wolf, Le Clercq, Ballard, Haefli, Aull, Jacobs, Scott, Payne, R. Aguilar, Newland, Upchurch, Strange, Basham, Alford, Vega, Chapman, Cassidy, Jones. 4th row: Faren Ascencio S. Frazier Cobb, Prime, Ritko, Rodgers, Fernage, Thomas, Epperheimer, Reese, Dean. Last row: Rajas, McKinney, Rios, Lovelady, R. Chavez, S. Chavez, J. Aguilar, Thomas, Bell, Turner, Uglan.

Left to right, First Row: Mood, Johnson, Tyndal, Scholl, Mays, Matta, Eredia. Second Row: Nair, Brown, Lenton, Robinson, Delia, Blackburn, Donnel, Phipps, Brimer, Pagel, Henderson, Bately. Third Row: Jenkins, Ludwick, Mc Donald, Fisher, Bishop, Anderson, Miller, Johnson, Mondor, Vernon, Elliott, Sullivan, Turner, Gaff, Couran, Trotter, Rankin, Costan. Fourth Row: Meadows, Brimley, Kohotic, Poer, Lykins, Spiller, Jones, Carol, Fees, King, Olstron, J. Miller, Murray, Fenwick, Hetrick. Fifth Row: Campbell, Roupe, Rodriguez, Rouse, Simona, Simpson, Blank, Reese, York, Summers, Rainer, Brownie, Greenan, Smith, Tiller.





Left to right, First Row: Pope, Crane, Moore, B. Mahaffey, Chambers, Benard, Hartley, Long. Second Row: Justice, Kapsh, Delgado, Honda, Rosenberg, Davies, Peck, Campbell, Anderson, Dunmyer, Mason, Blair. Third Row: Flores, Bustillos, Castillo, Hull, Mumford, Portlock, Gallie, Boss, Lewis, Olson, E. Mahaffey, Fuller, Rios, Mora. Fourth Row: Brady, Muensterman, West, Gilbert, Gray, Crawford, Boles, Camou, Wendell, Babbett, Larson, Armstrong, Gurea, Foster, S. Banda, Ledbetter, Van Drew. Fifth Row: Corriea, Stevenson, Navarro, Casman, Fleacer, Taylor, McIntosh, Ault, Windshymer, Staer, Rose, Johnson, Wathan, Martin, Richardson, Maguaar, L. Banda.



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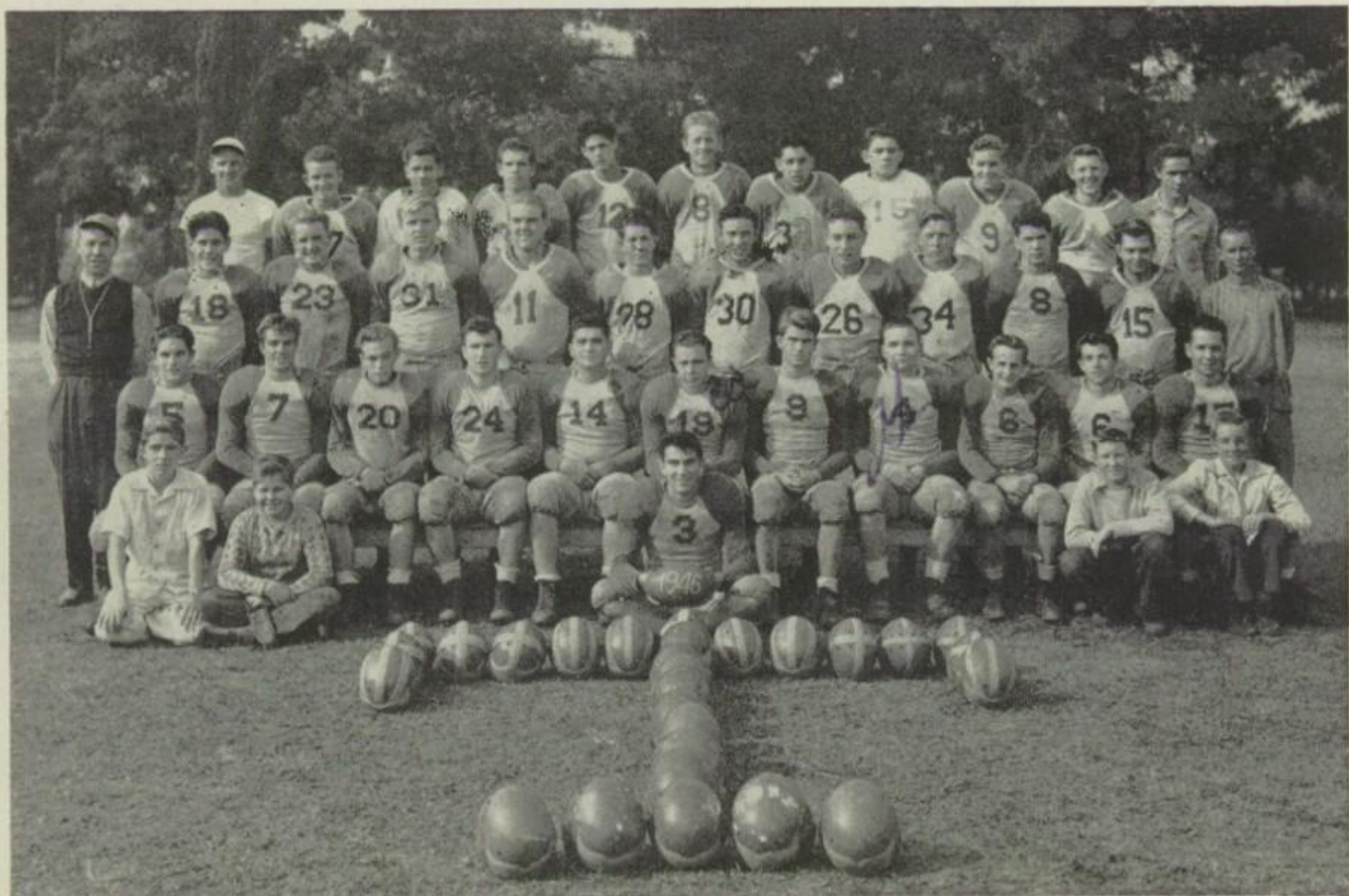
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Left to right: Top row: Richhart, Nelson, Daniel, Wallis, Avalos, Branum, Escobedo, Pearson, Schulz, Koshak, Faren. Third Row: Coach Winfield, Morgan, Taylor, Jones, Woolever, Sullivan, Long, Oefinger, Stephenson, McGarry, Preston, Tolson. Second Row: Turner, Comstock, Hood, Stroh, Donatoni, Fortin, Malin, Sterling, Smith, Jarratt, George. First Row: T. Faren, Phillips, Captain Schwenk, O'Cain, Comstock.



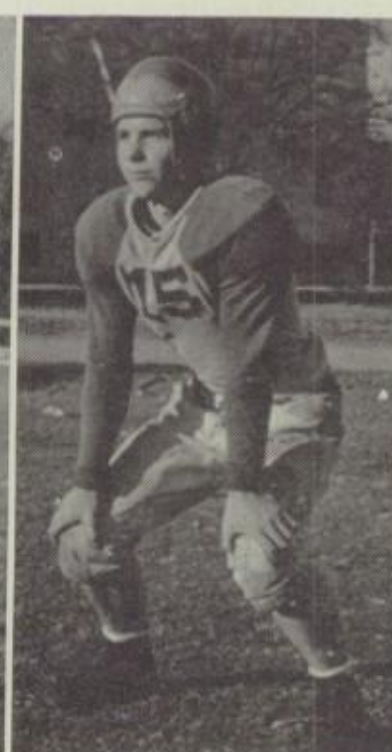
PRESTON
FAREN

JARRATT
SMITH

GEORGE
TURNER

TAYLOR
COMSTOCK

KOSHAK
MORGAN



THE 1946 FOOTBALL SEASON was one of the most unusual and thrilling seasons in the history of Torrance High. This team rose from the preseason rating of the weakest team in the League to the undisputed Marine League title. What this team lacked in experience and depth it made up for in intelligence and spirit. The Tartars placed three men on the first string All-Marine team and three men on the second team. Three men were put on the All-City teams. Ralph George, Torrance's most valuable player, was the second high scorer in the city, and was placed on the first team All-City. The season opened with a smashing upset over an experienced Narbonne varsity and closed with a victory over a stubborn San Pedro squad in the last two seconds of the season.

TORRANCE 20—NARBONNE 7

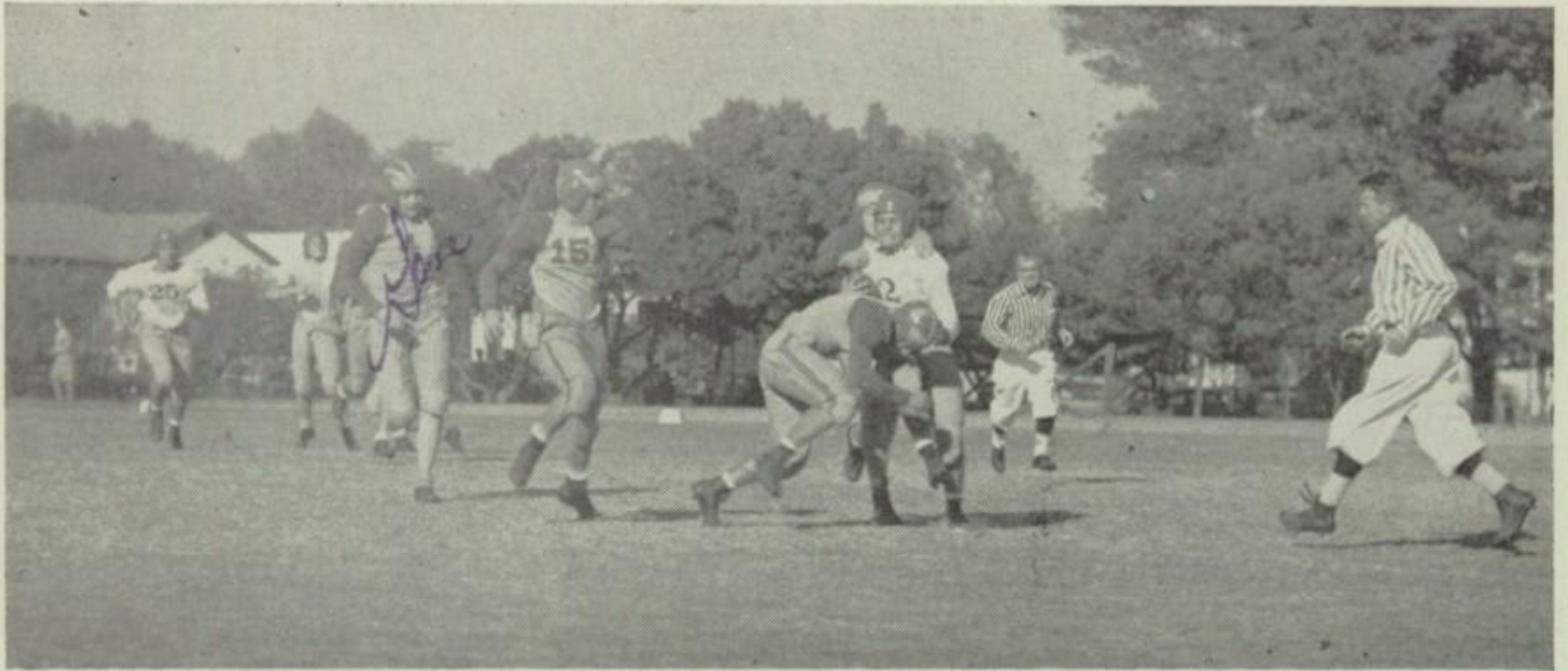
This being the first game of the season, the Tartars were fired to a high pitch and smashed an over-confident Gaucho squad 20 to 7. Ralph George led the attack, scoring two touchdowns on runs and passing to Captain Leroy Schwenk for a third.

TORRANCE 7—BANNING 0

In this, the second game of the season, the Tartars over-powered a stubborn Banning band by a score of 7-0. The only score of the day came when Ralph George hurled a 14 yard pass to Bob Turner in the end zone.

TORRANCE 12—GARDENA 0

This was the only game of the season in which the Tartars seemed over confident. The first half was a nip and tuck affair without much action. But on the first play after the half, George heaved a 45 yard sleeper pass to Bud Smith who was halted on the five. A few plays later, George cracked over. George scored again on a 15 yard sprint in the final quarter.



block that kick



HOOD
AVALOS
DONATONI
SCHWENK



STIRLING
STROH
OEFINGER
BRANUM



TORRANCE 6—SAN PEDRO 13

This was the Tartars' only setback of the season. The San Pedro squad was much heavier than the Tartars, and the muddy field did not bother the power of the Pirates as much as it did the speed and passing of the Tartars. Ralph George scored the Tartars' only touchdown on a crowd-stunning 75 yard gallop.

TORRANCE 13—NARBONNE 13

In this game the Tartars met a vastly improved Gaucho squad on a slightly muddy field. George once again broke loose and raced 70 yards for Torrance's first score. He scored again on a four yard plunge in the last quarter. The game ended with the Tartars on the Gaucho's one yard line.

TORRANCE 14—BANNING 0

This was perhaps the Tartar's best game of the season. The Banning squad was so completely outclassed that they were not able to get a first down until late in the final period. Ralph George scored both touchdowns, one on an 11 yard dash, and the other on a four yard smash.

TORRANCE 16—GARDENA 0

The Tartars got off to a rolling start in this game, and on the third play, Ralph George passed to Jack Hood who raced to a touchdown. The Tartars scored again when George dashed 15 yards around right end. Leroy Schwenk blocked a Mohican pass in the end zone for a safety in the last quarter.

TORRANCE 20—SAN PEDRO 13

This final championship game was played before the largest crowd ever to see a football game on the Torrance field. It was a thrilling game from start to finish, with the Tartars drawing first blood in the second quarter when Bill Morgan pitched to Darrel Comstock in the end zone. The Tartars scored again on the kick-off at the half, when Darrel Comstock romped 80 yards behind almost perfect blocking. At this point, the hard fighting Pirates scored two quick touchdowns, the last coming in the final four minutes of play, tying the score. But now it was time for the Tartars to open up with their powerful attack. With just seconds left to play they moved to the Pirates' 35 yard line, and as the gun went off, Ralph George pitched to Tom Faren, who made a diving catch and fell into the end zone for the championship winning touchdown.

- Leroy Schwenk (end)—Captain of the team, was two years All-Marine, second string All-City. Scored 16 points. (1 TD., 10 conversions).
- Jack Hood (end)—Hood and Schwenk gave Torrance two of the finest ends in the city. Although Hood was one of the smallest men in the League, he was outstanding on both defense and offense. One TD. Next season's Captain.
- Jay R. Stroh (tackle)—A two time letter winner. Was very fast and hard hitting. A senior, he was on the second string All-Marine team.
- Gene Stirling (tackle)—Was chosen second string All-City although he was only a junior. Despite his 198 pounds, he was one of the fastest men on the squad. In the Bannig game he blocked two kicks in a row.
- Bob Jones (end)—Bob was big and fast, but lacked experience. He didn't see much action, but he played some good ball. He should be a stand out next season.
- Don Hartel (half)—Don, a senior was one of the finest runners on the team. He played a great game at Gardena.
- Bill Wood (end)—A strong defensive as well as offensive player. He was first string until he was injured early in the season. Played a fine game against San Pedro.

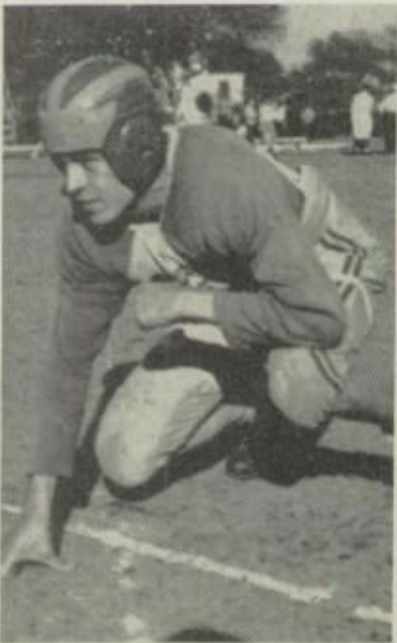
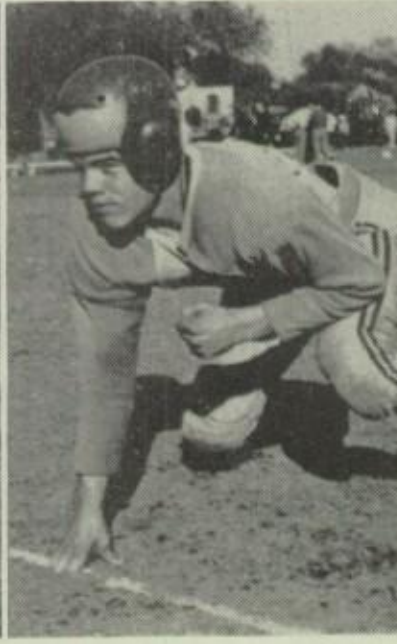
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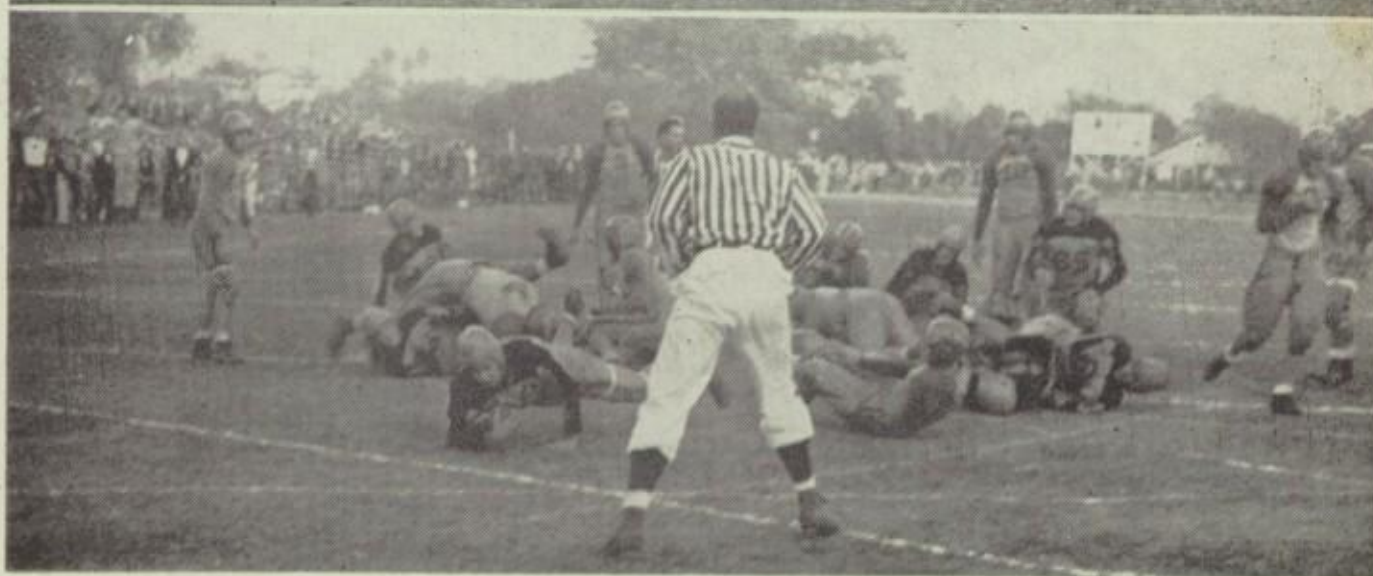
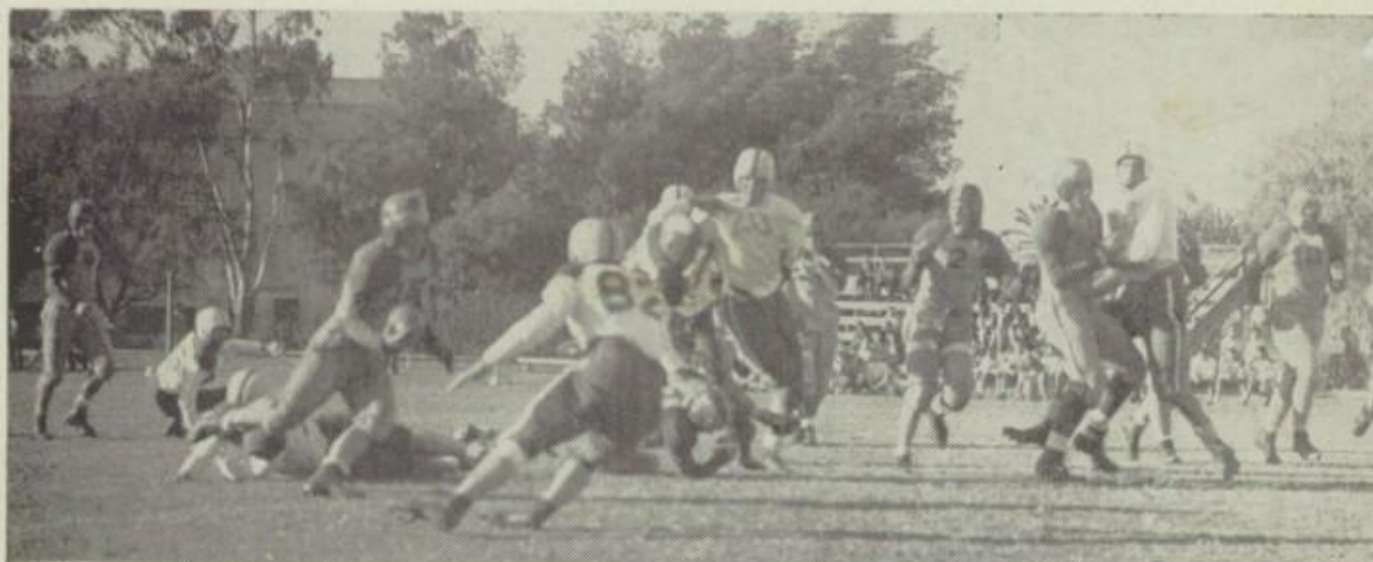
JONES

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STEVENSON

SULLIVAN



Pat McGarry (end)—Although he lacked experience, he learned fast and saw a lot of action. He proved very valuable.

Doug Woolever (tackle)—The largest man on the team, weighing 235. He lacked experience but played a great game at Narbonne. He will return.

Dick Oefinger (guard)—A big 10th grader who saw a lot of action. Next season, he will have had more experience and should go great guns.

Milton Long (center)—A fine defensive center with two more seasons. Started out as tackle but was shifted to give depth. Proved valuable.

Merwin Jarratt (quarter)—A senior who quarterbacked the Bee squad the year before. He was the smallest man on the team, but one of the fastest. He will be missed next season.

Bob Turner (half)—An 11th grader who has already earned two letters, strong on defense as well as being a good blocker. Should be better than ever next season. Scored at Banning.

Bill Morgan (half)—One of the finest runners in the League, also passes well. Threw a touchdown pass against San Pedro. Should be the spark plug of next year's team.

Jack Taylor (full)—Did most of the kicking for the team, also runs well. Will return next season.

Dick Malin (guard)—A two year letterman, he was a hard fighter all the way. He played his finest game against Banning the second time.

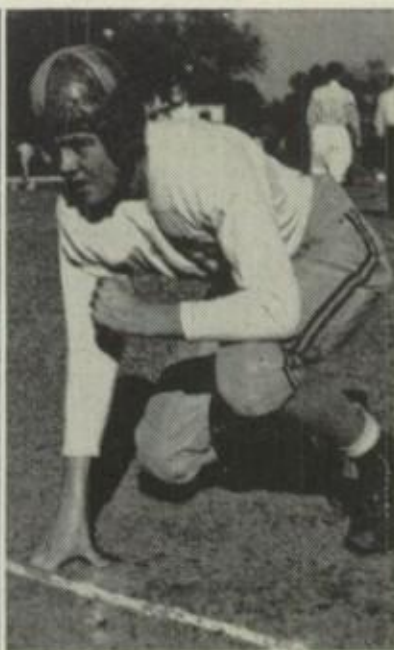
Dominic Donatoni (guard)—He was 205 pounds and only a 10th grader. He lacked experience but had lots of fight. Should be a real star next season.



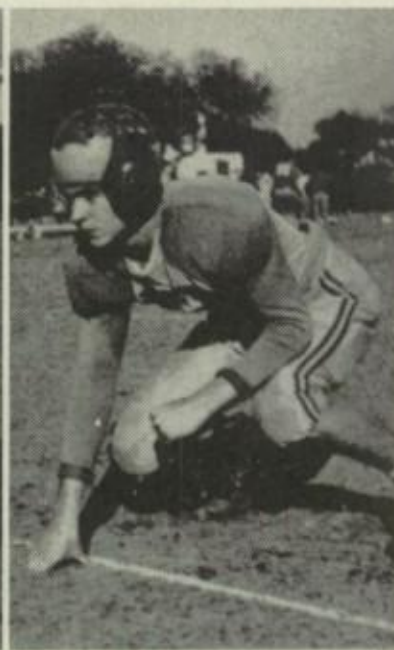
Malin



Woolever



Pearson



McGarry

Eddie Fortin (center)—One of the outstanding centers in the League. Ed was done a great injustice when he was not put on the All-Marine team. He will return next season.

Bud Smith (quarter)—Bud was an outstanding clocking and defensive back. He was George's leading receiver. He received five sleeper passes. A senior, he was a two year letterman.

Ralph George (half)—He was the finest back to come out of Torrance in many years. An exceptional passer and runner, he scored 10 touchdowns and threw four touchdown passes to be the second high scorer in the city.

He was two years All-Marine, one year All-City.

Darrel Comstock (half)—A very fine blocker and strong on defense, he will be missed next season. He scored two touchdowns, both in the last game against San Pedro.

Tom Faren (full)—Being a very powerful back, Tom was always good for a few yards. He scored one touchdown, that being the last one of the season. He is a junior and was second string All-Marine.

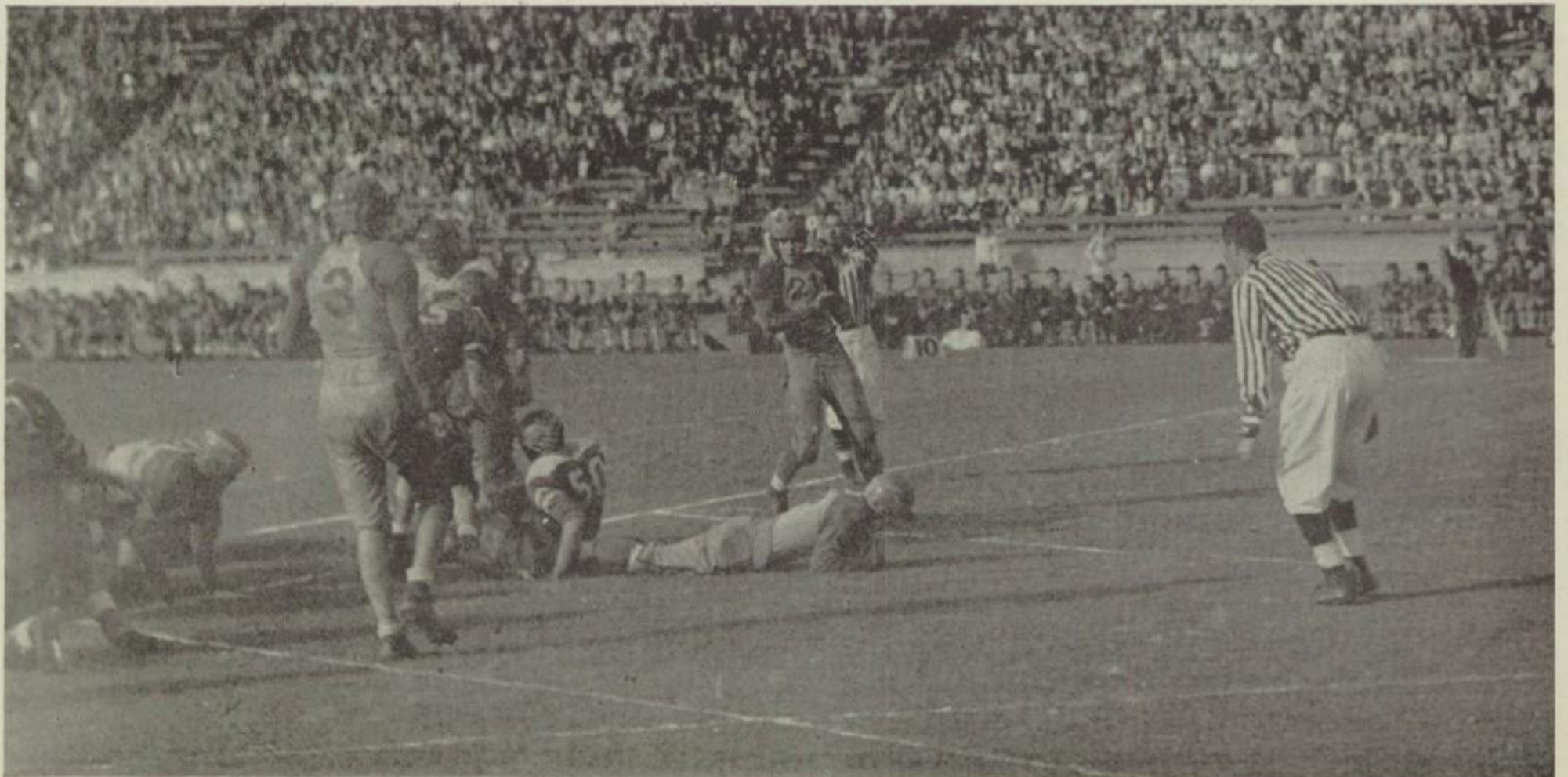
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TORRANCE 6—NORTH HOLLYWOOD 0

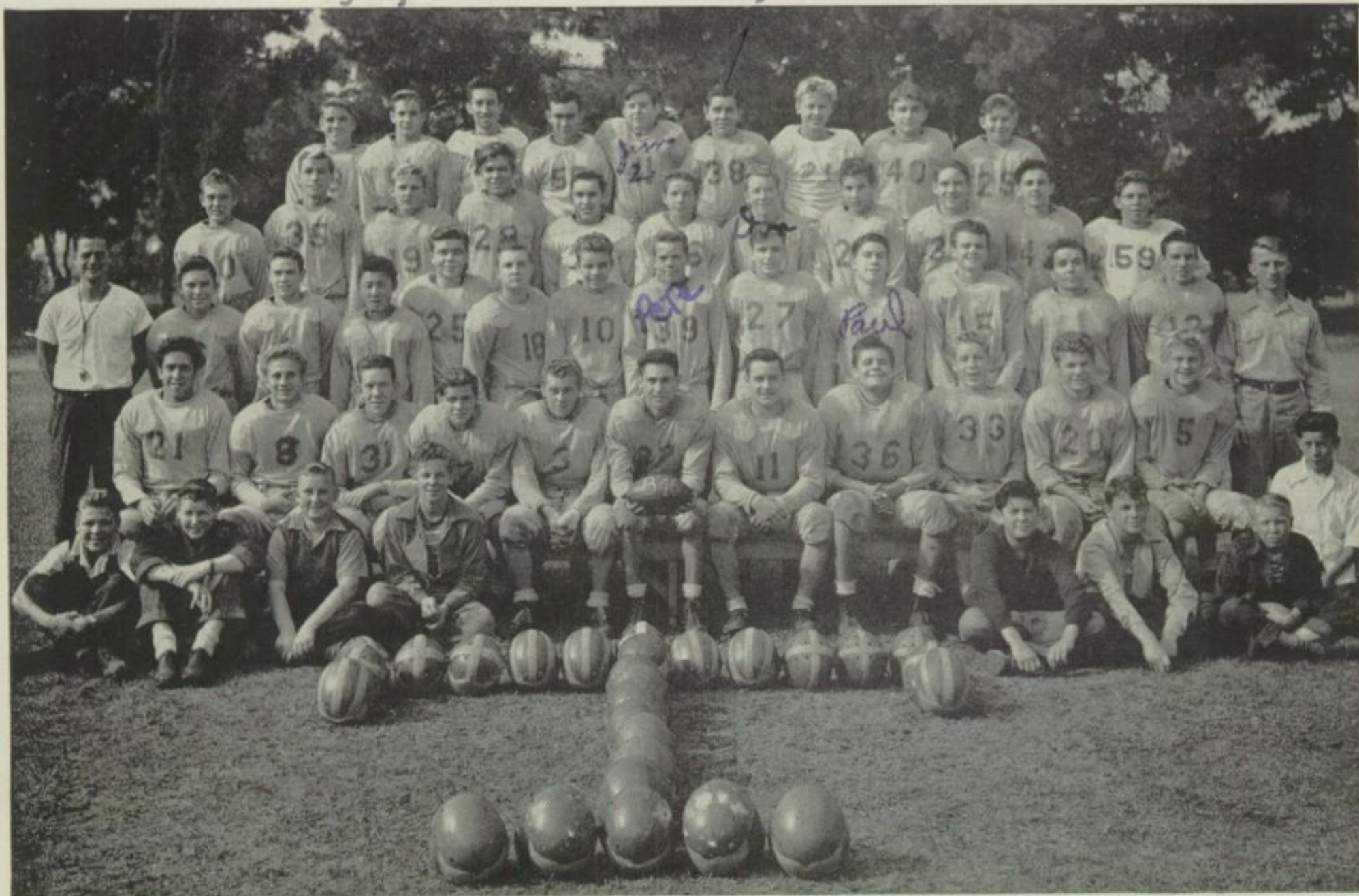
For the first time in many years, the Tartars were invited to the P.T.A. Annual Milk Bowl. They started off the day against North Hollywood High, who was a leader in the San Fernando League. The game was nip and tuck until Ralph George passed to Leroy Schwenk who in turn lateralled to Bud Smith. Smith was stopped on the five yard line. After three plays, George smashed over for the winning touchdown. This gave the teams from the South a good start and they went on to win their first contest in the 10 year history of the Carnival, by a score of 44 to 27.

milk bowl game



*Best
wishes
to my pal
Don Bucher*

LIGHTWEIGHTS *James*



Left to right: Top Row—G. Jones, Baker, Anderson, Target, Luter, Stevens, Standridge, Lougee, Percy. Fourth Row—Reichman, Wernett, Webb, VanDyke, St. Dennis, Maddock, Bodner, Popovich, Woolever, McQuillen, Wetzel. Third Row—Coach Katz, Crawford, Snuffer, Ikezoe, Carstens, Robinson, Dominguez, Douroux, Ferguson, Comon, LeBlanc, Vorhies, Dean, Silence. Second Row—D. Turner, F. Faren, L. Peterson, Harris, Donnel, Van-Kralingen, Enis, Garrison, Godard, Licht, Goettsch. First Row—Kasten, Wallace, Deaton, Droke, Schmidt, Watson, Batan, Aguilar.

TORRANCE'S BEE FOOTBALL TEAM was second only to a strong Gardena band which compared favorably with many varsity teams in speed and passing. Gardena won both games with the locals to win the championship. Coach Katz, chief helmsman of the Tarbabes, made power plays the nucleus of his attacks as Torrance's line was superior to all they came against. Strong guards and tackles made the power plays go.

TORRANCE 6—NARBONNE 0

In the first game the Tartars managed only to eke out a 6-0 win. Frank Faren made the touchdown.

TORRANCE 13—BANNING 0

In this game the Tartars started rolling from the first kick off. Frank Faren and Bob Snuffer each tallied in the first quarter while Don Garrison toed the extra digit.

TORRANCE 6—GARDENA 13

Gardena's highly favored Papooses got the surprise of their life when they met Torrance. The score was tied at six all until the last three minutees. Then Torrance made the mistake of throwing a pass which was intercepted, and seconds later resulted in a touchdown and a 13-6 win for the Mohicans.

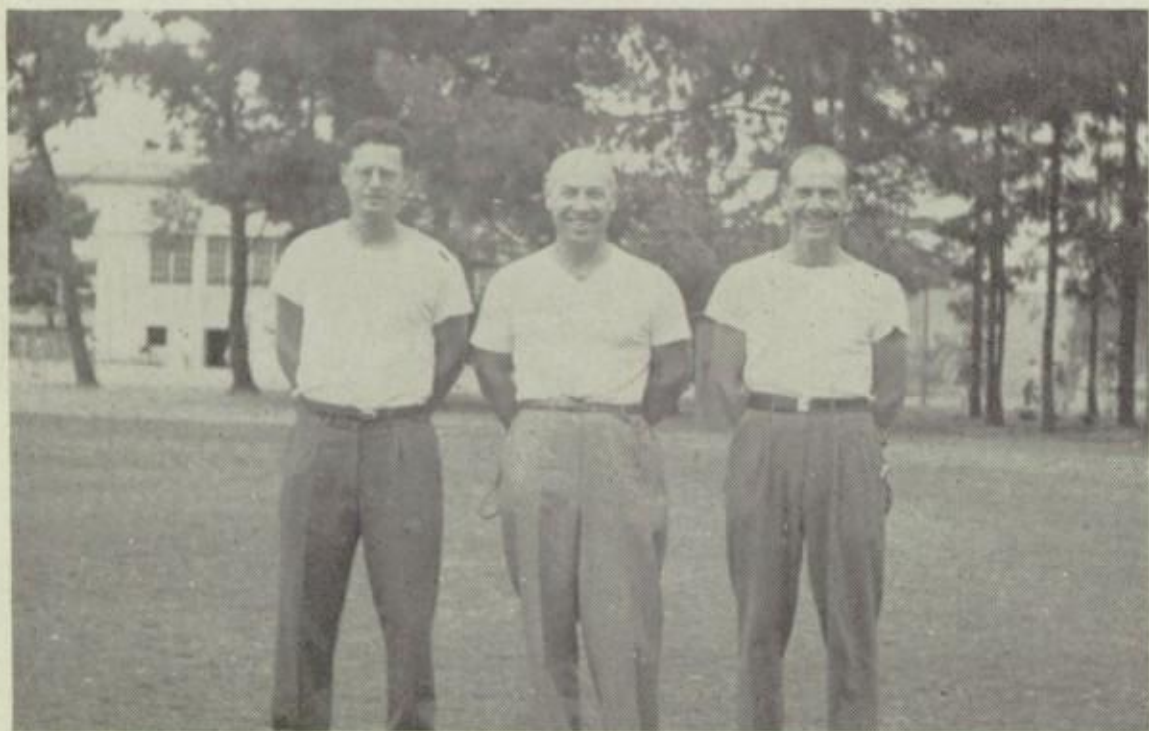
TORRANCE 12—PIRATES 7

Torrance won again. Mike Goettsch ran 78 yards to the San Pedro five to set up the first touchdown for Bud Licht. In the second quarter Goettsch ran one foot to score the clincher. The Bucs scored in the fourth quarter against the Tartar reserves.

TORRANCE 12—NARBONNE 0

Torrance once again made short work of its opponent by scoring in a drive the first time they got the ball. Frank Faren and Mike Goettsch made the touchdowns.

coaching angle



Katz Winfield Zamperini

TORRANCE 12—BANNING 0

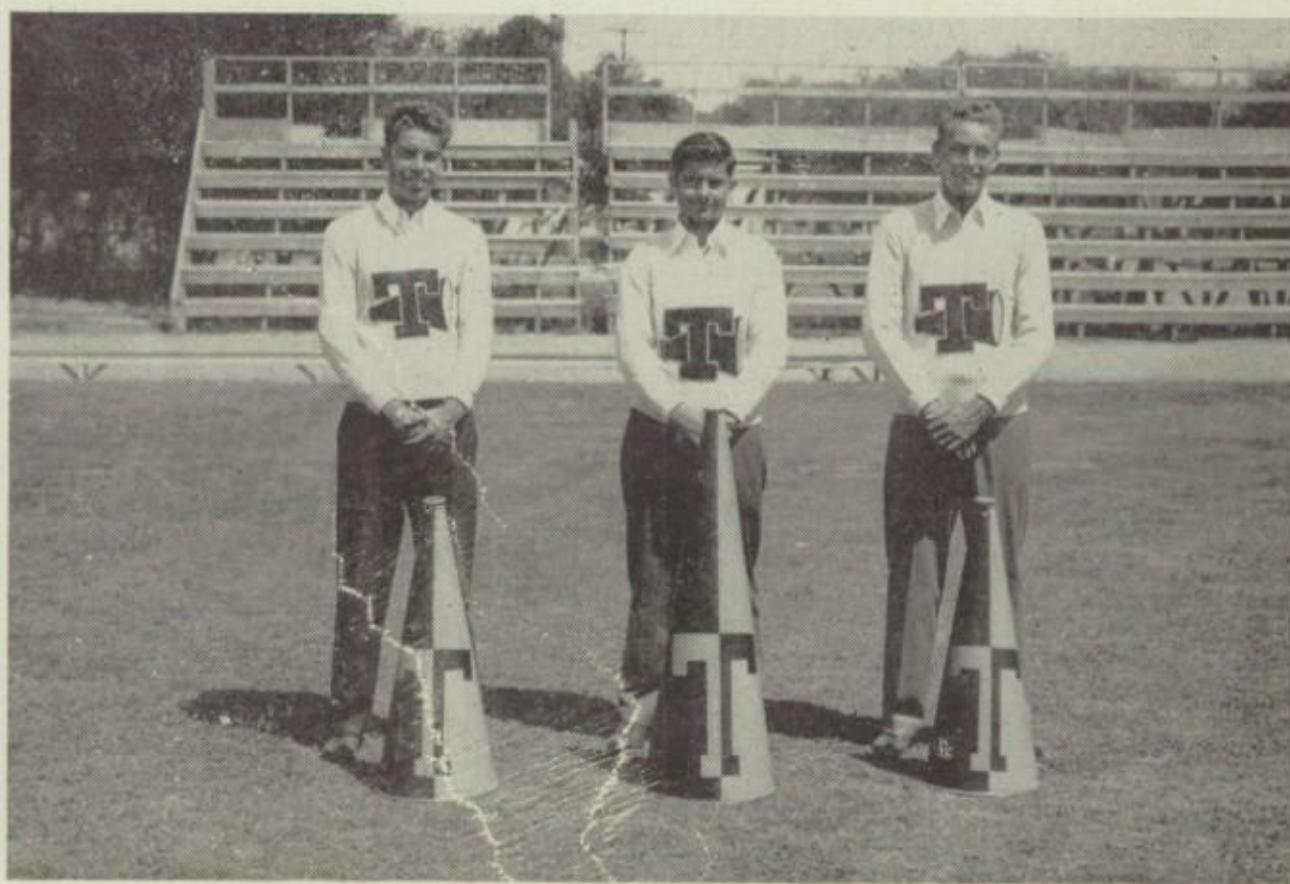
Bud Licht, who had suffered a hip injury since the first game, hit true form in this game. He scored both Tarbabes' touchdowns and put on a fine exhibition of line crashing.

TORRANCE 0—GARDENA 24

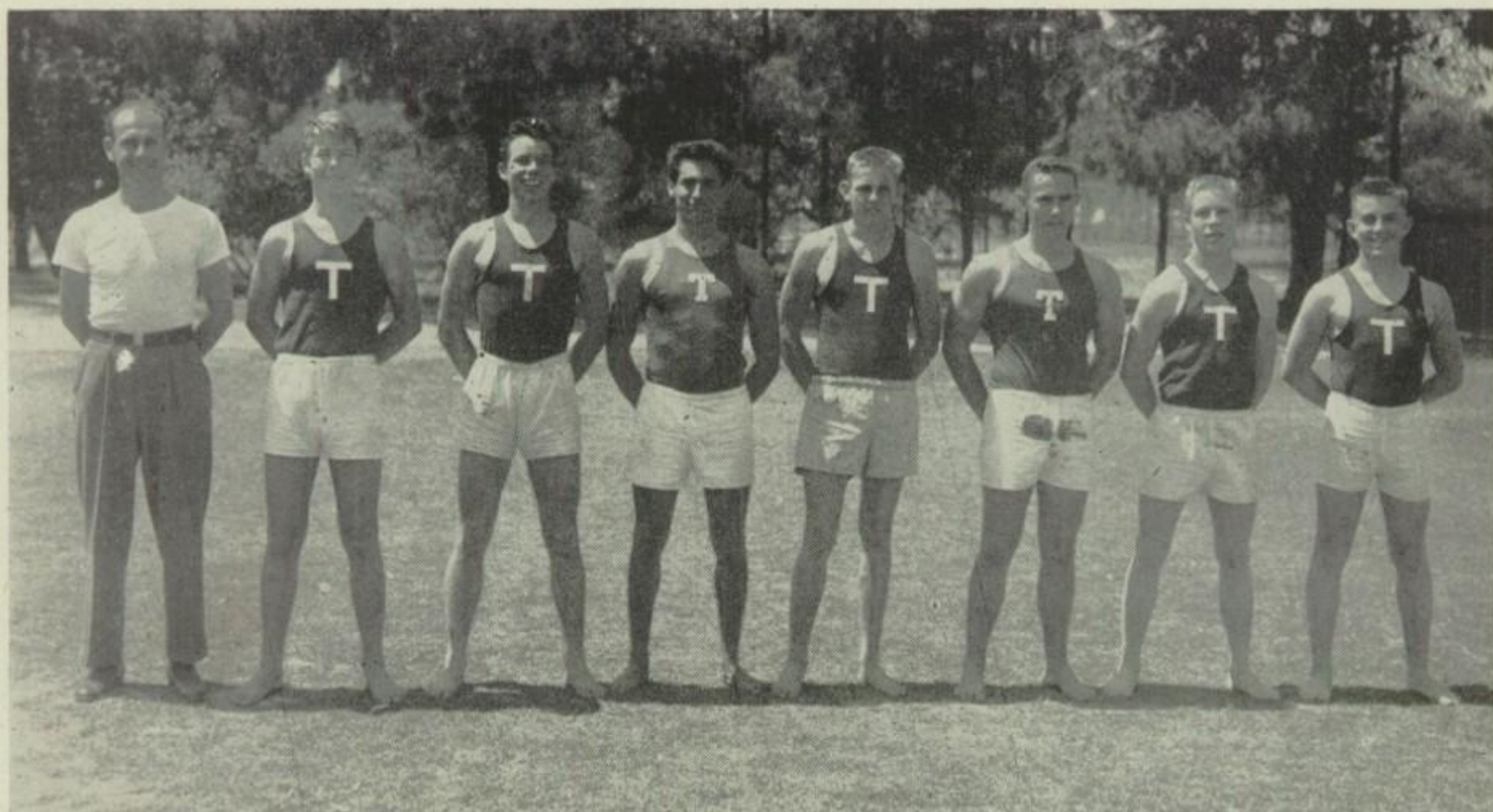
Gardena turned back Torrance once again. The Papooses scored in every quarter while the Tarbabes just never got started. Torrance's line was pushed all over the field by the Papooses' surprise defensive formation.

TORRANCE 14—SAN PEDRO 19

The Tarbabes were hampered by penalties in this game. In the final seconds of play Torrance reached the Buc 1 foot line but a penalty called the play back. Despite this loss Torrance won second place honors as San Pedro who took second tied Banning twice to mar their record.



Ban Northway King



Left to right: Coach Zamperini, Quinn, Dean, Van Kralingen, Webb, Faren, Godard, Richhart.

...brain and brawn

FOR THE FIRST TIME in Torrance High School's history, it has a gymnastic team. When they first started, Ray Richhart opened the gym at 7:00 o'clock in the morning. He would stay in the gym while the boys worked out on the bars, ropes, horses and mats. The boys were coached by Pete Zamperini. The team was handicapped because the rope was too short. The high bar, and the parallel bar were too low. There were not enough mats. They didn't have rings until the last of the season. With the lack of equipment and the size of the team they showed up well.

TORRANCE 12—GARFIELD 67 at GARDENA 26—Bugs Van Kralingen took a fourth place in rope climbing. On the high bar he took a first place. On parallel bar, he took a fifth place; also a first on the long horse.

SAN PEDRO 55¼—TORRANCE 19½ at GARDENA 29¼—Van Kralingen took a first on the long horse. He also took second in the rope climbing and free exercise. Webb took a second on the high bar. Wathen swung into third place on the rings.

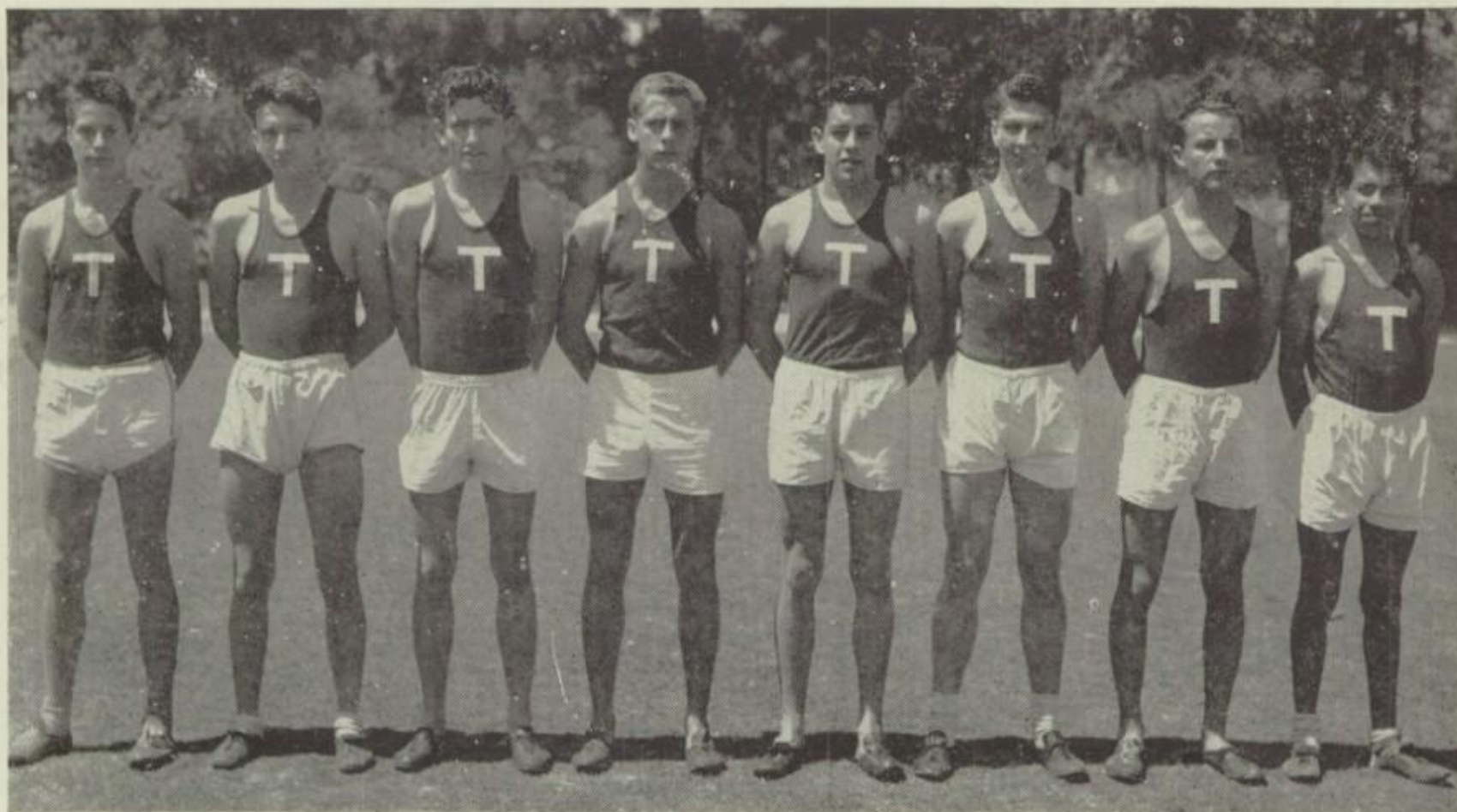
HUNTINGTON PARK 27½—TORRANCE 13 at GARDENA 49½—Jim Webb took a first on the high bar. Van Kralingen took sixth, Quinn took seventh. On the rings Wathen placed sixth. Van Kralingen placed second on rope climbing and free exercise. He also placed sixth on the long horse. Jack Dean placed sixth and Wathen seventh on the parallel bar.

VERDUGO HILLS 71⅓—TORRANCE 17⅓ at GARDENA 31⅓—Bob Wathen placed second on the rings and a fifth on the parallel bar. On the high bar Van Kralingen took a first; Webb placed fourth. Van Kralingen placed second on the rope climbing, and fifth on the long horse.

TORRANCE 14—GARDENA 18 at BELL 71—Van Kralingen took a first on rope climbing. On the high bar he took third, Tom Faren took fifth. Van Kralingen placed third on the long horse. Bob Wathen took fourth on the rings.

SEMI-FINALS—Van Kralingen was the only man from Torrance High. While he was performing on the high bar, he slipped and fell. This prevented him from taking a third place and qualifying for the finals.

over hill and dale



Left to right: Duncan, Johnston, Jacobs, Baron, Escobedo, Spangler, Anast, Flores.

A RISING SPORT AT TORRANCE, Cross Country was almost completely forgotten because of the championship football season. The team fought hard, and came out with one victory. Oscar Escobedo was elected Captain of this year's team. He practiced football each night besides running a two mile course after football practice. The men were as follows: Bill Spangler, a two year letterman following behind Oscar's heels; Ted Jacobs, another two year letterman; Phil Anast, who practiced basketball besides running at the meets; Rudy Flores and Harold Duncan, two ninth graders who were outstanding for what experience they had in the sport; and W. A. Hanni and Jarold Johnston, the only men to participate in the city finals.

VENICE at TORRANCE—Escobedo took third place. Spangler and Jacobs were Torrance's other two best men. The final score: Torrance 32—Venice 23.

COMPTON at TORRANCE—Torrance's best men were Escobedo and Spangler who took second and fourth places respectively. Compton won, the score being Compton 22—Torrance 14.

WASHINGTON at TORRANCE—This was a triangle meet between Torrance, Washington, and Jefferson High Schools. Taking a fifth place, Escobedo was Torrance's best man. Washington took the meet by a large margin.

JORDAN at TORRANCE—This was Torrance's only victory. Escobedo and Spangler were Torrance's best men. The score was Torrance 22—Jordan 43.

TORRANCE at COMPTON—Escobedo and Spangler were the team's best men. Escobedo took a second place and Spangler took a fourth place. The score was Compton 22—Torrance 44.

ALL CITY FINALS—Coach Pete Zamperini took four men over to the City Finals. They all made a good showing, even though they were against stiff competition. Duncan took seventh place, Flores fourteenth, Hanni seventy-fifth and Johnston ninetieth place.

KIWANIS CUP—Before the war, Pete Zamperini had the team, each year, run a mile and a half. The man that took first place would have his name engraved on the cup. Oscar Escobedo was the favored man. He led the first five laps, but due to a cold, was unable to keep his wind. Duncan sprinted past Spangler and then past Escobedo. Duncan won by ten yards. Bill Morgan took fourth place; this was the first time he had ever run the course. The winning time was 8:18.4.



Top—Moberg, Seiberlich, Coach Zamperini, Smith, Lappi.
Bottom — Baron, Williams, Curley, Cooke, Ban, Suttle.



Top Row—Kapps, Bowers, Watson, Coach Zamperini, Theodosios, Anast. Hanni.
Second Row—Mephram, Henry, Voien, McIlvaine, Chambers, Sanderson, Norris, Watters.

THIS YEAR'S TEAM was handicapped due to the fact that they lacked experienced men. The team failed to win but one game all season. The best game of the year was played against Banning, at Banning. Joe Ban, Tartar guard, held Banning's All-City forward to the total sum of eight points. The team won their only game against Gardena, the score 24-22. This was one of the most thrilling games at Torrance in some time. The first string consisted of: Joe Ban, Bob Suttle, guards; Gene Williams, Jack Turner, forwards; and Herb Curly center. The able subs. were: Tom Baron, Paul Smith, Stewart Cooke, John Moberg, and Wendelin Seiberlich.

SCORES

Torrance 21—Gardena 31
Torrance 30—Banning 40
Torrance 19—Narbonne 42
Torrance 22—San Pedro 51

Torrance 24—Gardena 22
Torrance 21—Banning 60
Torrance 18—Narbonne 58
Torrance 18—San Pedro 61

lots of luck to a small guy

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LUCK ETC*
*To a
Really good
Basketball player
Made Fish*
LOVE MOSHER

Stanley (14) FISCHER

CEE BASKETBALL

Top — Zamperini, Pasco, Coleman,
Thompson, Palmer
Bottom — Duncan, Fischer, Fisk,
Mosher, Dougherty



DEE BASKETBALL

Top Row — Lee, Rambo, Cristea,
Wright, Chapman
Second Row — Zamperini, Flores,
Chambers, Mumford, Smith, Schmidt,
Kapsh, Palmer (manager)
Bottom — Stanley, Lilly, Whiting, Hig-
gins, Stevenson (capt.), Giatris,
Burchfield.



...bases loaded

THE TEAM THIS YEAR had just a fair season, ending in fourth place. The Tartars started the season by knocking off some of the bigger L. A. high schools. In eight practice games they lost three. As the season started the schedule called for a game with Banning which was cancelled. The second scheduled game with San Pedro was the first league encounter which was lost 6-0. Traveling to Gardena, the team met its second loss, when a Mohican doubled with the bases loaded. 4-2. The team had only three returning lettermen. Joe Ban, 1st Base, Jack Turner, 2nd Base; and Merwin Jarrett, shortstop. Jack Taylor and Bob Turner, catchers; Herbert Curley, Jerry McIlvaine, and Harry Theodosis, pitchers; Bob Chambers, third base; Dave Babcock, Buddy Licht, Paul Smith, Dick Turner, Mike Long, completed the outfield. These were all last year's Bees.

Top row: Coach Katz, Long, J. Turner, Smith, Theodosis; 2nd row: D. Turner, B. Turner, Curley, Chambers, McIlvaine, Taylor, Ban, Tyler. Sitting: Bataan.



Lots of luck
to a swell guy
Jack Turner
"48"

varsity

Lots of luck to
a swell guy
a hell
Basketball

Jack Taylor

Top row: Jackson, Mattern, Woolever, Sullivan, Le Blanc, Bingham, Puretic, Wright. 2nd row: Whiting, Babcock, Garrison, Robinson, Schultz, Branum, Mitchell Popovich, LeRoy. Sitting: Wakefield, Stevenson, Foster, Penner, Vorhis, Swigart.



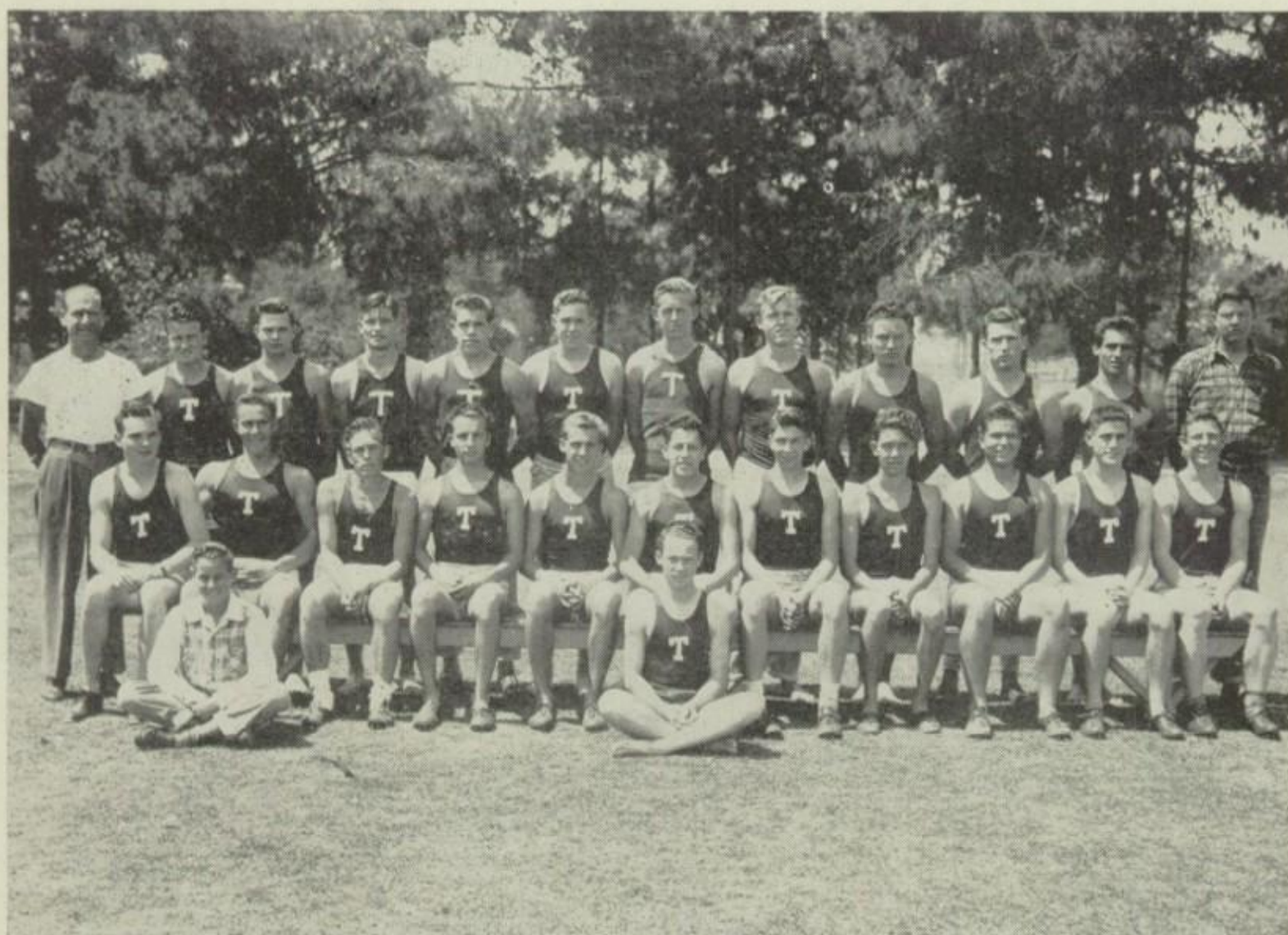
SCHEDULE

March 18—Torrance 2 - El Segundo 0	April 10—Torrance 8 - Venice 3
March 26—Torrance 12 - El Segundo 0	April 16—Torrance 12 - Hamilton 0
March 27—Torrance 2 - Venice 10	April 28—Torrance 3 - Hamilton 4
April 9—Torrance 6 - Redondo 1	

MARINE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

April 22—Torrance vs. Banning—postponed - rain	May 6—Torrance _____ Narbonne
April 24—Torrance 0 _____ San Pedro 6	May 7—Torrance vs Banning _____ (makeup)
May 1—Torrance 2 _____ Gardena 4	May 8—Torrance _____ Banning

b team



Top row: Coach Zamperini, Nelson, Preston, Hartel, Wallis, Schulz, Branum, Jones, Long, Stroh, Van Gralingen, Denty. 2nd row: Hazelwood, Faren, Hood, Anast, Baron, Escobedo, Spangler, Suttle, Van Dyke, Morgan, Kosok.

making tracks...

A—MARCH 21—TORRANCE 33½ at NARBONNE 65½—100: First, Morgan; 220: Fourth, Stepp; 440: First, Hood; 880: First, Escobedo; Mile: Second, Spangler; Third, Baron; H. H.: Both entries disqualified; L. H.: Second, Morgan; B.J.: Second, Morgan; S.P.: First, Jones; Second, Faren; H. J.: Tied for first, Suttle; P.V.: Tied for Third, Van Kralingen; Relay: Narbonne.

B—TORRANCE 63½—NARBONNE 31½—100: First, Jarratt; Second, Reams; 220: First, Jarratt; 660: Second, Stephens; 1320: First, Douroux; B. J.: First, Tolson; Second, Jarratt; H. J.: First, Bacon; Tied for second, Wernett; S. P.: First, Cloward; Second, Goettsch; Third, Faren; H. H.: First, Goettsch; Second, Cloward; L.H.: First, Goettsch; P. V.: Tied for third, Dean; Relay: Torrance.

C—TORRANCE 49—NARBONNE 28—100: First, Downing; 180: First, Baker; Third, Foster; 660: First, Hoffman; Second, Higgins; S. P.: Second, Duncan; L. H.: First, Godard; B. J.: Second, Foster; P. V.: Fisk tied for first place; Relay: Narbonne.

MARCH —(—TORRANCE 40½ at GARDENA 63 ⅓—100: Second, Morgan; 220: First, Morgan; 440: No one placed; 880: Second, Hood, Third, Spangler; Mile: Second, Baron; Third Escobedo; H.H.: First, Van Kralingen; Third, Avalos; L.H.: Second Van Kralingen; Third, Avalos; B. J.: Second, Morgan; S. P.: First, Jones; H. J.: Second, Curley; Third, Suttle; P.V.: First, Van Kralingen; Relay: Gardena.
 B—TORRANCE 46¾—GARDENA 48¼—100: First, Jarratt; 220: First, Jarratt; Third, Voien; 660: Third, Stevens; 1320: Second, Doroux; Third, Bodner; B. J.: Second, Jarratt; Third, Chambers; H. J.: No one placed; S. P.: First, Cloward; Second, Goettsch; Third, Faren; H. H.: First, Goettsch; Second, Cloward; L. H.: First, Goettsch; P. V.: Second, Dean; Relay: Gardena.
 C—TORRANCE 54½—GARDENA 22½—100: First, Downing; 180: First Forster; Second, Baker; 660: Second, Duncan; Third, Flores; S. P.: First, Webb; Second, Duncan; Third, Whiting; L. H., First, Godard; Second, Baker; B. J.: Second, Foster; Third, Crawford; P. V.: Tied for first, Fisk and Foster.

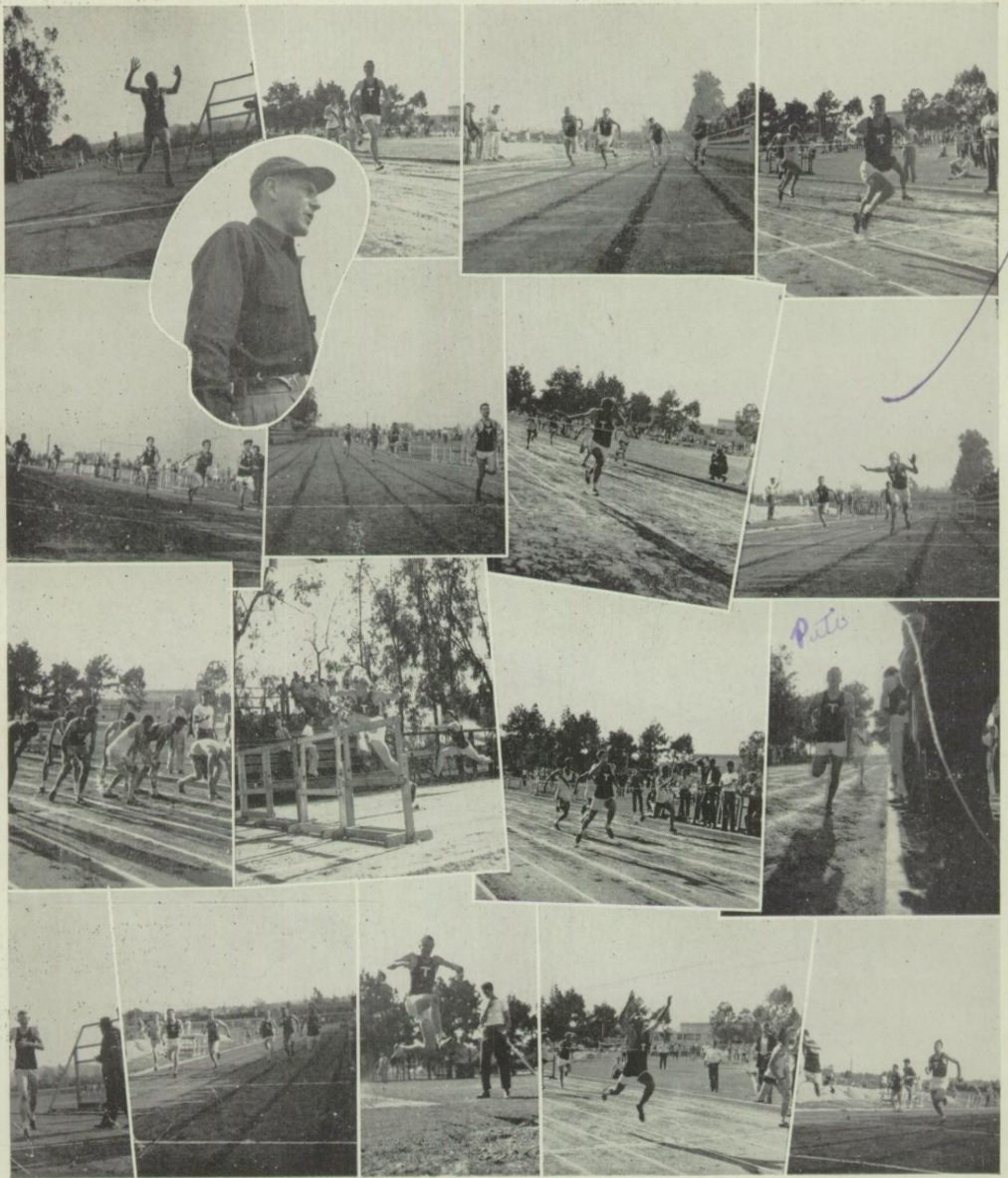


Left to right: Top Row—
 Coach Zamperini, Bodner, Bacon, Poer,
 Belles, Jacobs, Standridge, Steele,
 Bunge.
 Second Row—
 Stevens, Douroux, Dean, Goettsch,
 Cloward, Faren, Wernett, Voien, Tolson
 Sitting—Chambers Long.

lots of luck to
 a future
 Varsity ★
 Wheaties



Left to right: Top Row—
 Coach Zamperini, Crawford, Godard,
 Maddock, Whiting, Fischer, Duncan,
 Fisk, Webb, Homoilko, Carter, John-
 son Denty.
 Second Row—
 Buchanan, McNew, Foster, Schmidt,
 Thompson, Higgins, Downing, Baker,
 Rios, Flores, Delgado, Stevens, Delgado,
 Boyce, Chambers.



track action shots

So small
 little guy that deserves
 the best of every thing
 in sports and in life
 Luck
 Mike

APRIL 11—BANNING 59 at TORRANCE 45—A—100: First, Morgan; 220: No one placed; 440: Third, Oefinger; 880: Second, Escobedo; Third, Hood; Mile: Third, Spangler; H. H.: First, Van Kralinger; Second, Avalos; L. H.: First, Morgan; B. J.: Second, Morgan; S. P.: First, Jones; Second, Van Kralingen; Third, Faren; H. J.: Second, Curley; P. V.: First, Van Kralingen; Second, Suttle; Relay: Banning.

B—BANNING 46½—TORRANCE 48½—100: First, Jarratt; 220: First, Jarratt; 660: First, Stevens; 1320: Second, Doroux; B. J.: First, Jarratt; Second, Chambers; H. J.: No one placed; S. P.: First Cloward; Second, Goettsch; H. H.: First, Goettsch; Third, Cloward; L. H.: Second, Goettsch; P. V.: First, Dean; Third, Cordes; Relay—Banning.

C—BANNING 34—TORRANCE 43—100: First, Downing; Third, Higgins; 180: Second, Baker; Third, Foster; 660: Third, Duncan; S. P.: First, Webb; Third, Whiting; L. H.: Third, Baker; P. V.: Tied for first, Fisk, Crawford; B. J.: Tied for first, Flores; Relay—Banning.

APRIL 25—SAN PEDRO 53½ at TORRANCE 45½—A—100: First, Morgan; 220: Second, Morgan; 440: No one placed; 880: Second, Hood; Mile: First, Spangler; H. H.: Second, Van Kralingen; L. H.: First, Van Kralingen; B. J.: First, Morgan; S. P.: Second, Jones; Third, Faren; H. J.: First, Curley; Tied for third, Suttle; P. V.: First, Van Kralingen; Tied for third, Suttle; Relay—San Pedro.

MARINE LEAGUE C TRACK CHAMPS

B—SAN PEDRO 41—TORRANCE 54—100: First, Jaratt; 220: First, Jarratt; 660: First, Stevens; Third, Steel; 1320: No one placed; B. J.: Third, Dean; H. J.: First, Wernett; Tied for second, Bacon; S. P.: First, Cloward; Second, Goettsch; Third, Faren; H. H.: First Goettsch; Second, Cloward; L. H.: Second, Goettsch; Third, Cloward; P. V.: First, Dean; Second, Chambers; Third, Faren; Relay—San Pedro.

C—SAN PEDRO 54½—TORRANCE 22½—100: First, Downing; 180: First, Baker; Second, Foster; 660: First, Flores; Second, Duncan; Third, Castillo; S. P.: First, Webb; Second, Duncan; L. H.: First, Godard; B. J.: First, Foster; P. V.: Tied for first Crawford, Fisk; Third, Godard; Relay—San Pedro.

So a swell guy and lots of luck Ralph

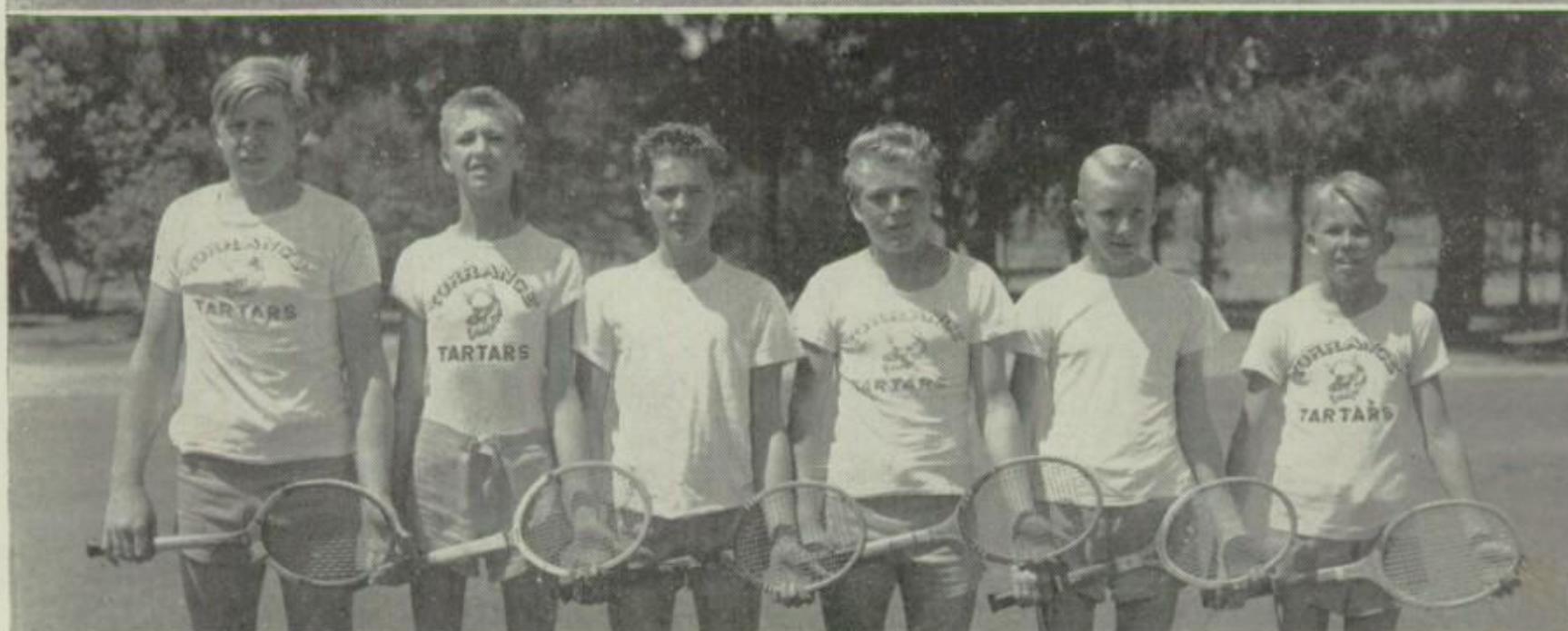
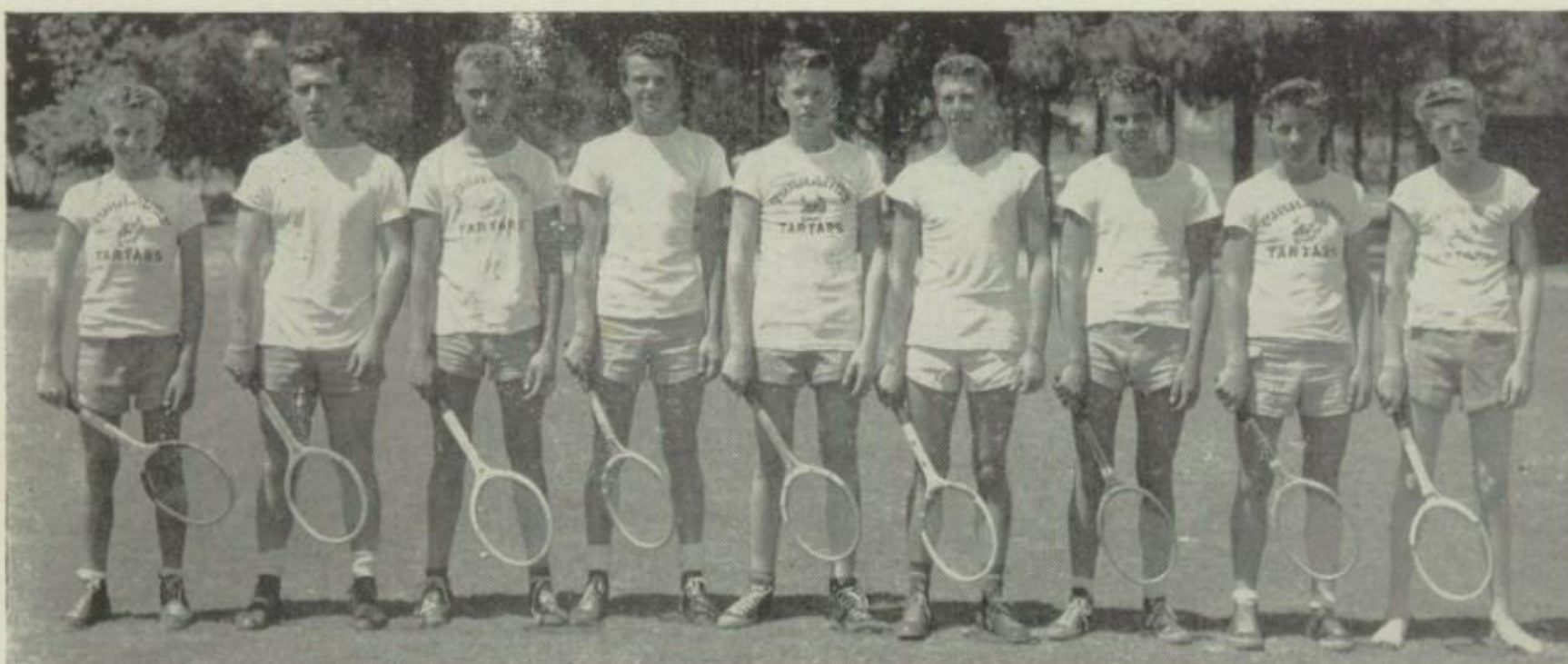
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LAST YEAR'S TENNIS TEAM lost the championship by dropping a very close match to a powerful Gardena squad and had to be content with a second place. This year, twenty five boys under the leadership of Coach John Winfield, turned out to bring the title back to Torrance High. Four of these boys are lettermen from last year's team, the remainder are up from the championship Bee team. The Varsity squad is made up of the following boys: 1st singles, Allen Mephram; 2nd singles, Frank Norris; 3rd singles, Ralph Standridge; 4th singles, Jay Stroh; 5th singles, Herbert Curley; 1st doubles, Robert Le Blanc and Bill Dominguez; 2nd doubles, Raymond Maddock and Jim Foster.

SCHEDULE:

April 16—BANNING at TORRANCE—Won
April 30—TORRANCE at SAN PEDRO—

May 7—NARBONNE at TORRANCE—
May 14—TORRANCE at GARDENA—



Top: Giatras, Stroh, Stanridge, Le Blanc, Mephram, Norris, Dominguez, Maddock, Foster
2nd Row: Stephenson, Deeter, Dougherty, Begue, Smith, Mumford

David Dougherty



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ELECTED BY THE STUDENTS, the Council discusses all activities which relate directly or indirectly to the student body. The group represents the student body at all times and attempts to do as the majority wish them to do. For the Council's fine work this past year, the Torrance High students give many thanks.

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THE BOYS' AND GIRLS' COURTS have a difficult task, but this past year under the guidance of their capable presidents, they have handled their problems very efficiently. Most of the disciplinary action in the school is conducted by these courts, and the student judges deserve a great deal of credit for their fine work.

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CHAPTER 121 of the California Scholarship Federation, known as the Athenians, had another very active year. They sponsored the drive to send papers to the service men, and the Red Cross drive. They attended district banquets at Narbonne, Huntington Park, and Banning, as well as holding a banquet honoring all former life members and Ephebian of Torrance High. Life members from W'47 were: Ralph George, Burna Morris, Rose Marie Pickett, Olwyn Richards, and Bernard Smith. Those from S'47 were: Merwin Jarratt, Polly Robinson, and Shirley Severin.



“smarties” . . .

First Row: Thomas, Fitzgibbon, Raymond, Kapsh, Rose, Strilka. Second: Ban, B. Peterson, Isen, Kelly, Navarro, Stucke, Miss Mills, Stroh, Reid, Hopkins, Nielsen, Newland. Third: Foster, Luster, Dorris, Tibbitts, Bourne, Moeller, Anderson, Lisoni, Lacy, Atwood, Robinson, Whyte, Severin. Fourth: M. Jones, Estolano, Van Dyke, Williams, Findley, Tolson, L. Peterson, G. Jones, Preston, Jarratt.



Row 1: Morgan, Hood, Babcock, Turner, Atwood, Raymond, Mrs. Goodwin, McBride, Rose, Tolson, Comstock, Stroh. Row 2: Mr. Donahue, Flores, Licht, Davis, Crook, Anderson, Lisoni, Hocott, Svensk. Row 3: Tibbitts, Fitzgibbon, King, Northway, Jarratt, Stepp, Voien, Kapsh, Stucke. Row 4: Ordaz, Peterson, Fortin, Williams, Spangler, Findley.



student leaders

TARTAR LADIES

AMONG THE MOST active organizations on the campus this year have been the Tartar Ladies. Service to the students of Torrance High School is their objective, but along with their regular duties they have numerous social events. Besides sponsoring a football rally, dance, and paper drive in the fall semester, and they held their formal Knight and Lady Ball. In the spring semester, the group sponsored a dance, took part in the Variety Show, held their annual barbecue and a Tartar Ladies' Reunion Banquet which honored their sponsor and organier, Mrs. Goodwin.

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TARTAR KNIGHTS

UNDER THE ABLE LEADERSHIP of Mr. Donahue, the Tartar Knights perform many tasks about the school. It is their duty to remind students to obey the rules of our school. Although that sounds grim, the fellows have a lot of fun too, and have been very active socially the past year. They sponsored the Ball, the Paper Drive in the fall semester, and in the spring took part in the Variety Show, and sponsored the Knights' and Ladies' Barbeque; and, along with Knights from other Marine League schools, the Conclave.

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First Row: Rose, Robinson, Atwood, McBride, Raymond, Miss Burnham, Scotton, Hedgecock. Second Row: Reid, Lacy, Lewellen, Kelly, Rosenberg, Danie, Knight. Third Row: Williams, Tolson, Cooke, Findley, McIlvaine, Northway.



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SINCE THIS IS THE LAST TORCH to be edited under the direction of Miss Burnham who has been adviser of every Torrance High School Annual published, the Staff wishesto take this opportunity to thank her for all the time and energy she has spent as sponsor of this book. We shall miss her guidance. Between these pages is the work of the 1947 staff. It is yours, for your enjoyment, which we hope will be as great as that which we have experienced in preparing this annual for you.

all the news

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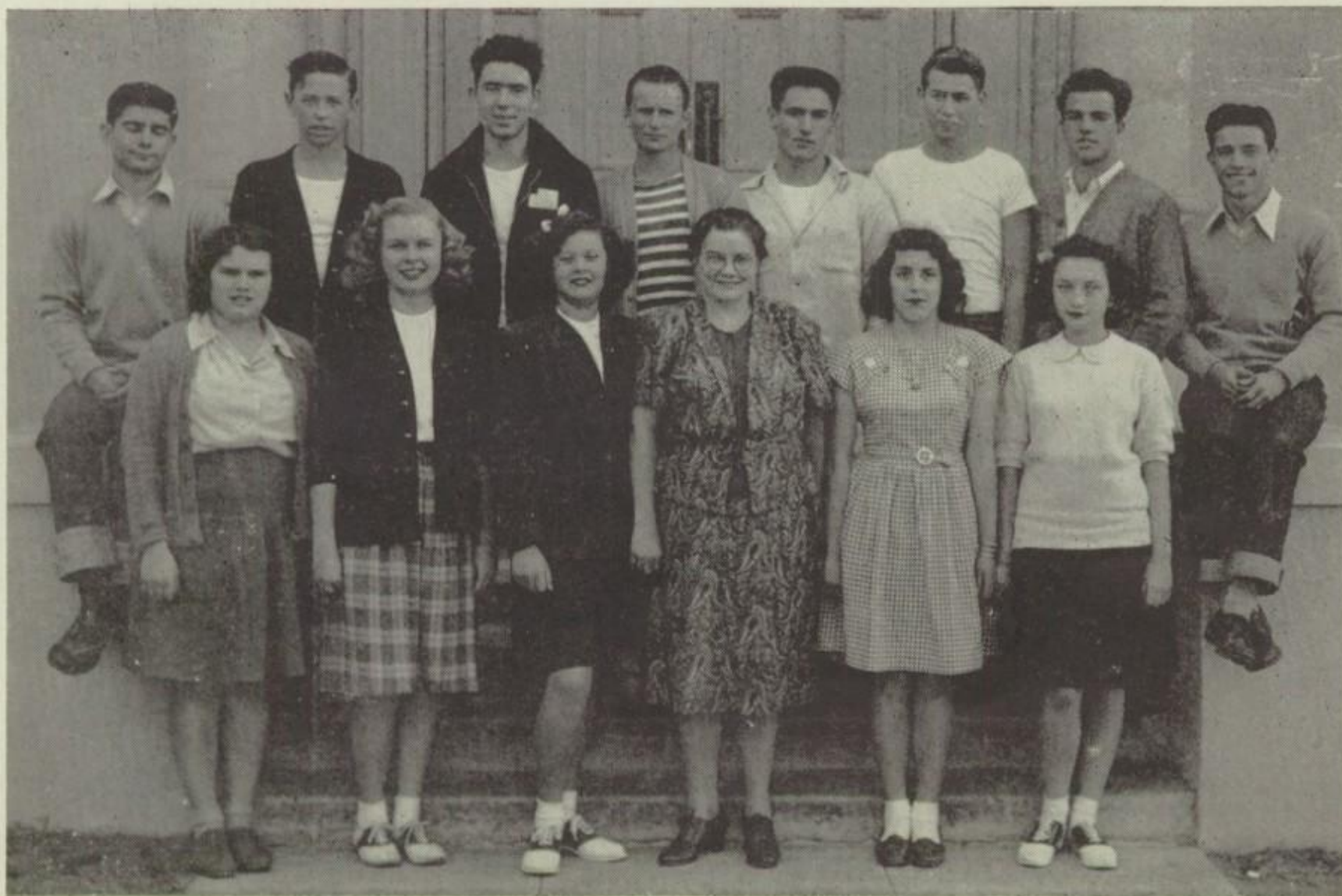
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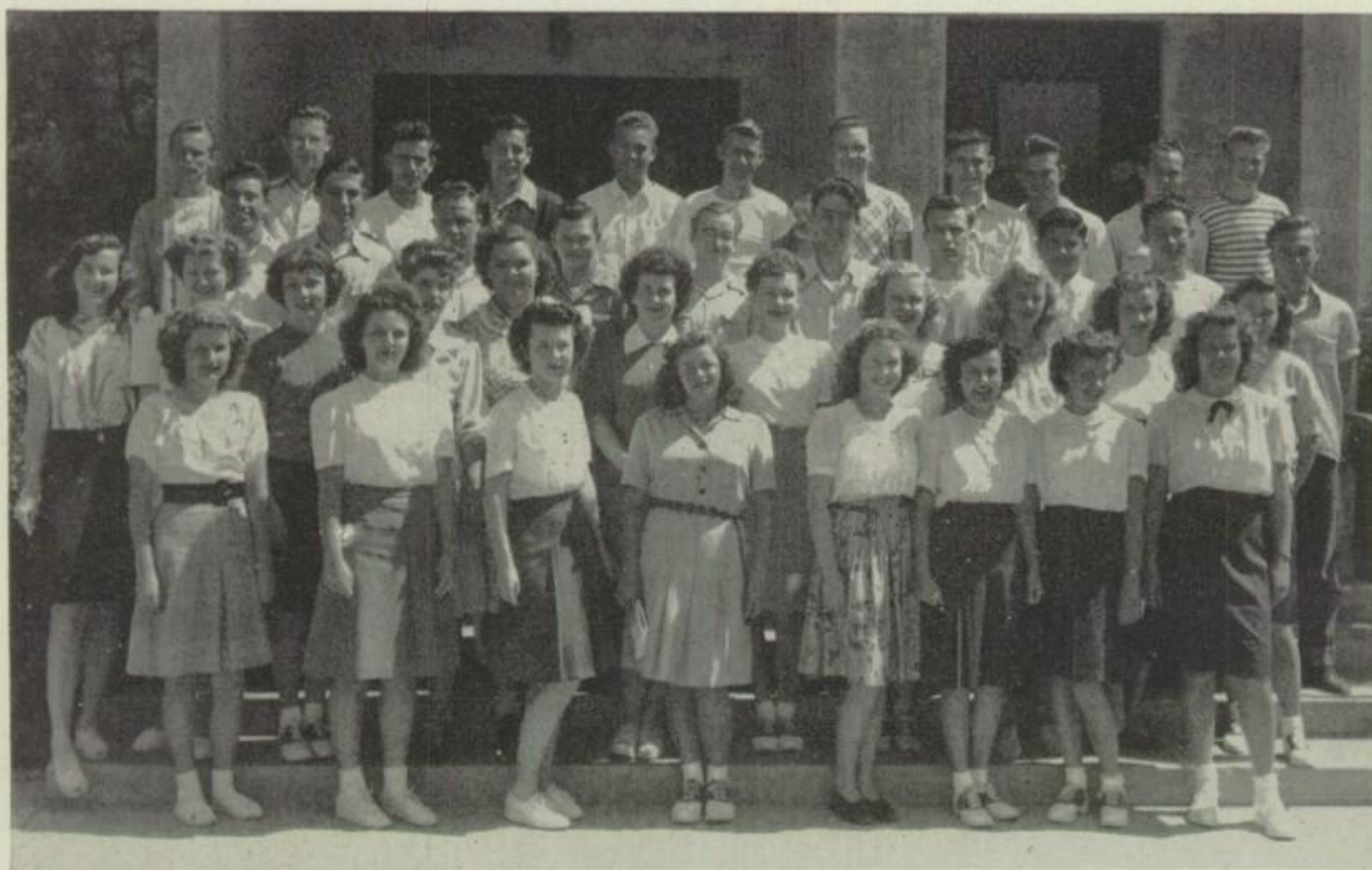
First Row: Morey, Robinson, Knight, Miss Mills, Navarro, Rosenberg. Second row: Northway, Mephram, Suttle, Tolson, Van Kralingen, McIlvaine, Comstock, Jarratt.



DURING THE PAST YEAR, the Safety Commission, with the aid of the fire department, has conducted several fire drills. The members of the commission keep order and quiet while timing these drills. They are: First Semester—Merwin Jarratt, Bud Smith, Leroy Schwenk, Burna Morris, Ralph George, Corky Northway, Jay Stroh, Darrel Comstock, Ed King, Ed Findley, Beverly Hopkins, Barbara Coles, Jack Turner, Bill Tolson; Second Semester, Barbara Coles, Bill Tolson, Merwin Jarratt, Corky Northway, J. R. Stroh, Jack Koshak, Jack Hood, Jerry McIlvaine, Bob Suttle, Joy Oursler, Ed King. Sponsor, Mr. Burchett.

HALL PATROL

Among our hardworking organizations is the Hall Patrol whose duty it is to regulate the flow of students between classes and keep order in the halls at this time.



Left to right: First row, Border, Scotten, Raymond, Dominguez, Coles, Hopkins, Quaggin, Oursler. 2nd row: Van Meter, Reimer, McBride, Thomas, Smith, Cox, Sabosky, Robinson, Kerns, Morris, Cobb. 3rd row: Jarratt, Turner, Fortin, Preston, Paxton, Suttle, Stroh, Northway, Babcock, Hood. 4th row: Tolson, Findley, Jacobs, Escobedo, King, McIlvaine, Sterling, Morgan, Nelson, Stepp, Floyd.

... guards and gals



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10th Grade
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TO THIS CLUB, the School owes many thanks for the services it has rendered. The girls have served at many breakfasts and luncheons including the P.T.A. teas. One of the big events of the year came in the spring when they attended the F.H.A. Annual Chapter meeting. Mrs. Urquhart, the club's sponsor, has done a wonderful job of guiding the girls, giving her time to them unselfishly.



social influence



Top: Oursler, Lariscey, Read, Blackmon, Lacy, Weaver. 2nd: McCoy, Daniel, Robinson, Miss Burnham, Whyte, Morgan, Menni. Sitting: Fletcher, Rosenberg, McCluer.

THE MODERN LITERATURE CLUB was organized for the purpose of reading and discussing modern books. One of the projects during the past semester has been to join "The Book of the Month Club." After each member read the books, they were circulated among the other students. The club is sponsored by Miss Ethel Burnham and Mrs. Grace Morse. Members are: Nancy Whyte, Polly Robinson, Sally McCoy, Virginia Fletcher, Rose Rosenberg, Elsie Lacy, Jean Daniel, Patricia Read, and Velda Lariscy.

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Cecelia Bidwell
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Mickey Kapsh

First Row: B. Crook, Rose, Sutton, Bidwell, Kerns, Stucke. Second row: Whyte, Flores, D. Smith, M. Kapsh., Miss Leitner, M. Tibbitts, Hocott, Svensk, P. Anderson, Hopkins, Dominguez. Third row: Davie, Northway, Atkins, Baer, J. Davis, Coles, Menni, Franzen, Nelson. Fourth row: Robinson, Strilka, Sabosky, Lisoni, McBride, Cox, Peterson. Fifth row: Raymond, Mauk, Cecil, Fagan, Brimer, Oursler, Wernett, Simonson, Moore, Ban. Sixth row: Cottrell, Sandstrom, S. Kapsh, Winkler, P. Crook, H. Davis, McCoy, Blackmon. Seventh row: Warning, Byllesby, Moeller, Fitzgibbon, Wold, Miller, L. Anderson, Kelton, Hayden. Eighth row: Correia, Hansen, Theodosia, Clark, Cline, Bourne, P. Tibbitts, Riggio, Shew.



THE VARSITY CLUB started out this last year in full swing. Coach Winfield is the sponsor. The aim of the Club is to keep pupils outside of Torrance from wearing illegal lettermen sweaters. The Club has helped in many different activities. They have kept order during football games, by keeping spectators off the field. At track meets they kept the students off the track. During the noon basketball league, they had guards at the doors to keep the students from bringing food into the gym. Another helpful duty was to watch the bicycle rack. The students that owned bicycles had to have them locked or go to the gym where Coach Winfield would persuade them to buy a lock. To be a member of this Club, the boy has to have earned a Varsity letter in any sport in Torrance High School.



Row 1: Shultz, Comstock, Dean, Norris, Stroh, Tolson, Morgan, Anast, Jacobs, Mephram, Spangler. Row 2: Mr. Winfield, Jarratt, Northway, Williams, Long, Avalos, Woolever, Oefinger, Turner, Escobedo, Babcock, Chambers. Row 3: Preston, Hood, Pearson, McIlvaine, Branum, Cooke, Suttle, Findley, Stevenson, Daniel, Koshak.



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SENIOR GIRLS' GLEE and Mixed Choir presented a Christmas Concert on Dec. 13. Both organizations with the Junior Glee planned a very nice spring concert for assemblies on April 11 and for P.T.A. on April 15. The Girls' Glee sang for Girl's League installations in January and May. Mixed Choir helped out on the graduation music. All three organizations have been doing better work than at any time in the last two years. *Sponsor, Miss Clara Storrs*



Row 1: Kerns, Sutton, Garland, Griffin, Cottrell, Duncan. Row 2: Milam, Welsh, Hanni, Mumford, Miss Storrs, Bender, Suiter, Basham, Whitman. Row 3: Stirling, Navarro, Berry, Wold, Bender, Whyte, Thomas, Vernon, Powell, Row 4: Morey, Jolley, Reimer, Foreman, Worland, Border.





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Top: Karganella, Menni, McWaid, Busick, Galloway. 2nd: Johnson, Allen, Franzen, Finch, Fees, Read. 3rd: Giatras, Higgins, Licht, Wernett, Henderson, Schmidt, B., Navarro, Schmidt, F.



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 ro, G. Harvey, T. Giatras, R. McIntosh, B. Johnson. Row 4: J. Cobb, Rogers, C. Madrid, M. Wilson, M.
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junior leaders

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"June Mad"
Senior Play
S. '47



"June Mad"
Advanced Drama
Cast



"Elmer"
Drama I Work
Shop



"Elmer and the
Lovebug"
Drama I—
One Act



"The Kid Makes
Up His Mind"
Senior Play
W. '47



... drama

"THE KID MAKES UP HIS MIND"

By John Kirkpatrick

Directed by RODNA WISHAM

Harvey Pembroke, the Third ("Screwball")	- - - -	Tony Wood
Albert Bailey ("Beef")	- - - -	James Pizer
Mrs. Cheney	- - - -	Shirley Peterson
		Shirley Vandeventer
Lulie Belle Higgins	- - - -	Dorothy Sanders
		Jean Tatlow
Edward Cheney ("The Kid")	- - - -	Jack Blackmon
Nita Blanchard	- - - -	Betty Boswell
		Lee Ora Braswell
Lenore Watson	- - - -	Velda Lariscey
		Jane Scotton

Place: The lounge of Senior House on the campus of St. Aloysius Preparatory School for Young Men in New Jersey.

Time: Nine o'clock on the first night of Commencement Week.

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"JUNE MAD"

Penny Wood	- - - -	Wilma Jean McBride
		Betty Hartley
Chuck Harris	- - - -	Bill Tolson
Mrs. Wood	- - - -	Bobbie Fitzgibbon
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		Shirley Vandeventer

"June Mad" was first produced by Henry Duffy at Las Palmas Theatre in Hollywood on February 28, 1939. It was directed by Sophie Rosenstein and Wilbur Sparrow, and the setting was designed by Max Ree.

Act One

A Wednesday afternoon in June.

Act Two

Scene One: The following Friday night.

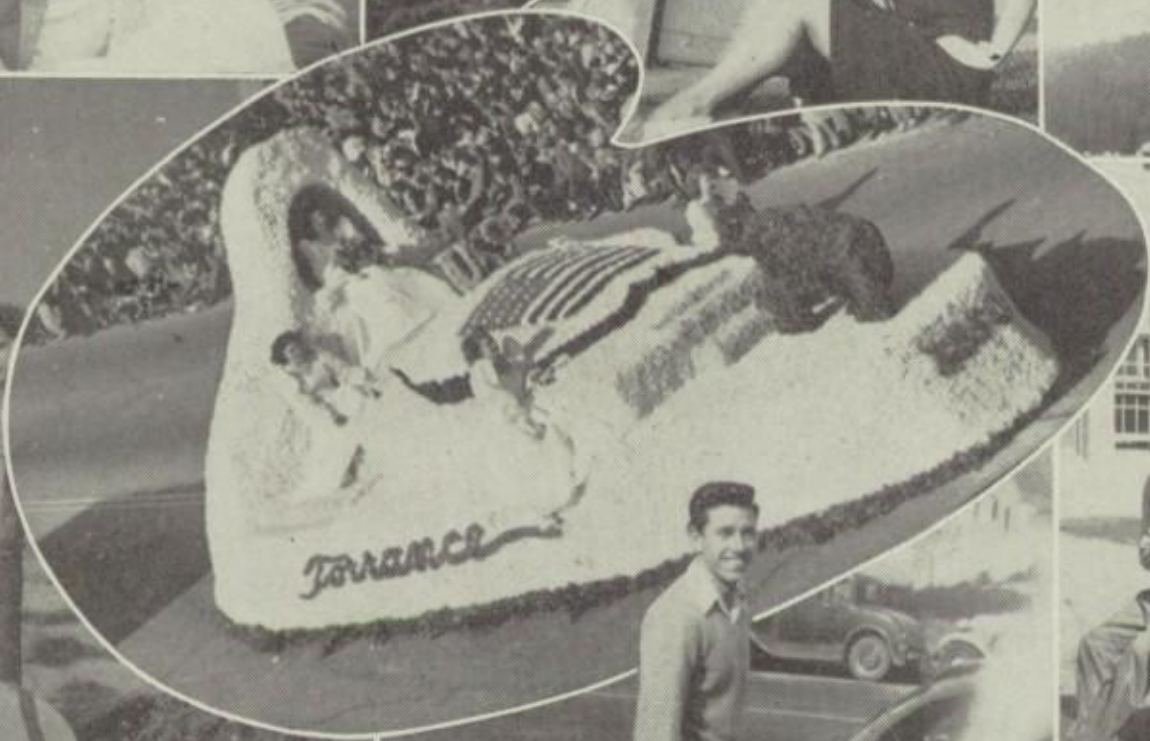
Scene Two: Saturday afternoon.

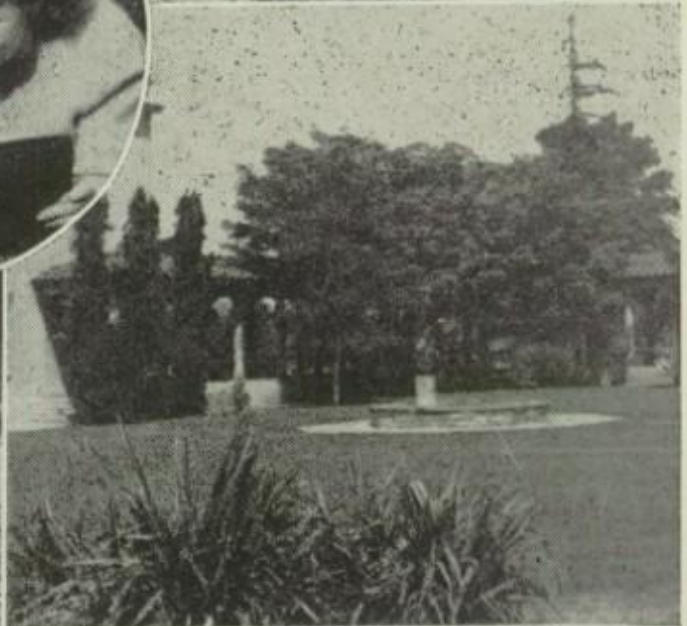
Act Three

Saturday evening.

The action of the play takes place in the living room of the Woods' house in Lynbrook, a small town in the Middle West.

Time: The present.





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- John Branum (end)—Tall and rangy but lacked experience and speed. He showed improvement and will be back next season.
- Jack Wallis (tackle)—Jack was strong and rough but inexperienced. He played a fine game at Lincoln, and again against Narbonne. He will return next season.
- Jack Daniels (tackle)—Jack was inexperienced and lacked speed, but looked good at Gardena. Returns next season.
- Oscar Escobedo (guard)—Oscar was very fast and rough, and had the makings of a fine guard, but he had to divide his time between football and cross-country. He is a senior.
- John Shultz (guard)—Big and powerful but was inexperienced like many others. He has two more years.
- Lyle Nelson (center)—Lyle was moved from guard to center in mid-season and was just getting used to center by the end of the season. Returns.
- Dick Preston (quarter)—Dick was inexperienced but improved more rapidly than almost any one on the squad. Should be a mainstay of next year's team.
- Jack Koshak (half)—Jack showed a lot of spirit and fight but was inexperienced. Will see a lot more action next season.
- Keith Pearson (tackle)—Was big but lacked speed and experience. Showed improvement and will return.
- Gilbert Avalos (end)—Tall and fast but had no experience. Back next year.
- Albert Stevenson (tackle)—A big strong 11th grader who saw a lot of action. He proved very valuable for a sub for Stirling.
- Rano Sullivan (guard)—A small but scrappy guard with a lot of fight. Worked his way up from third string. He has two more years.

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you are real neat your-
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A HAIR
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